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V's Battle Czechs in Crucial Game

Striving to regain the world hockey championship won by Russia last year, Penticton V's today defeated the highly-rated Czechoslovakian team in Germany, 5-3. Helmeted Bill War-

wick, who scored six goals in Penticton's 12-1 victory over the United States Friday, is the central figure in this action picture of the V's practice game last week against the Czechs.

Wall of Water Wipes Out Town As Floods Sweep South Australia

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—A South Wales town known to have killed 38 people. Last reports said most of the town was feared to have wiped out the town of Warren in New

360 miles northwest of Sydney, were clinging to their rooftops in the path of the swirling waters.

Apart from the 38 known dead in the floods ravaging a 30,000 square mile area of New South Wales, 32 people are missing and more than 25,000 homeless.

State Premier J. Cahill called the situation "near-catastrophic" with hundreds unaccounted for.

The casualties at Warren are not known. The mayor radioed the last message heard from the isolated town, appealing for sandbags and calling for all able men to man the levees. Three air force transports took off with empty sandbags.

BRACE FOR SECOND PEAK

In the stricken Hunter River area, the town of Maitland braced itself to meet a second flood peak after a two-day battle against invading waters.

The ranging Hunter is pouring down the main street of the town of 23,000. Water stretches from one to two miles, isolating the community. A convoy of trucks carrying hundreds of tons of food and clothing had to turn back because all roads were under from eight to 25 feet of water.

The roar of flood water is so great that voices cannot carry more than 20 feet.

Two ocean-going tugs, the only craft powerful enough to fight the torrents of the Hunter, saved about 40 families cut off in one district.

Unconfirmed reports said one of the tugs foundered with at least eight people aboard. No further report of the incident was available because communications in the flooded area have been disrupted.

Cold Weather Deals Soccer Knockout Blow

LONDON (Reuters)—Old Man Weather, who is getting to be a British soccer player's toughest foe, today forced postponement of 20 English and six Scottish League games.

It was the third time in seven weeks that bad weather has severely curtailed the Saturday program. Today's knockout punch was freezing weather, snow and icy playing fields.

Several teams at or near the top of their league had to postpone key games. Wolverhampton Wanderers, leaders of Division One, were forced to cancel their game with Manchester City, but second-place Sunderland beat Newcastle United 2-1 to get within a point of first place.

Chelsea jumped to third place after a brilliant second-half recovery brought them four goals and a 4-1 victory over Huddersfield Town. (See scores page 3.)

Car Mishap On Icy Road Kills V.I. Man

Sven Arne Engelbrecht, 21, a forestry department fire-suppression crew worker, was dead on arrival at Lady-smith Hospital Friday night shortly after the car in which he was riding rolled on its side near Cassidy Airport, 12 miles south of Nanaimo.

RCMP officers said snow had made roads treacherously slippery, and that even "standing" was difficult.

According to reports, Engelbrecht was jammed between an open door of the car and the car frame.

STRAIGHT ROAD

The accident occurred at about 10 p.m. on the Trans-Canada Highway almost directly opposite the department of transport quarters at the airport. Police said the accident happened on a straight stretch of road.

Police did not identify the driver of the car, nor the second passenger, neither of whom was injured.

Coroner Dr. H. W. Lewis of Nanaimo has ordered an inquest for Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Ladysmith. Deceased is survived by his parents in Calgary.

TRIED TO FILM PRINCESS

B.C.'s Yvonne de Carlo Rushed Off Royal Pier

NASSAU, Bahamas (AP)—Police escorted Yvonne de Carlo, B.C.-born screen star, off Prince George pier when she turned up to take movies of Princess Margaret arriving today.

Mrs. Napier Moore, wife and assistant of the press liaison officer for the Bahamas and Nassau government, said Miss de Carlo, a native of Vancouver, had asked for accreditation with the press. Her application was refused.

Mrs. Moore said the actress sent a messenger early this morning who said "Miss de Carlo was an official photographer for British Overseas Airways Corporation." But, Mrs. Moore said, she told the messenger the movie star "was not accredited."

Mrs. Moore said that when the movie star "turned up anyway" this morning on the pier, "I asked the policeman to escort her off."

The pier was roped off and guarded by police. Only officials, the honor guard band and accredited newspaper men and photographers were allowed on the pier when the princess landed.

Miss de Carlo has been in Nassau for a movie being filmed on the island.

Ship's sirens and bells mingled in welcome as the royal yacht Britannia steamed into the harbor and dropped anchor.

But a big fight has marred the official doings. Next Thursday, the day after she flies to London, the House of Assembly will debate a protest that no elected members of the House have been invited to a state dinner which she attends Monday night.

The governor, the Earl of Ranfurly, confirmed that the

EVA'S GHOST RULES SAYS WEEKEND WRITER

Although Eva Peron died in 1952 her spirit is still one of the great forces in the life of Argentina, says Weekend Magazine writer Frank Lowe in a series of articles starting today. He tells the story of the movie star who became one of the world's most talked-about women after her marriage to the Argentine dictator.

Heavy Frost Due Overnight

Winter's First Real Storm Brings Sharp Temperature Fall

Victoria is faced with its first real cold snap of the winter.

Weather forecaster William Mackie at Gonzales Observatory predicted a low temperature of 23 degrees tonight, and a drop to 20 on Sunday.

Even so, this city will still be one of Canada's warmest. On the prairies, the highest temperature recorded overnight was 13 below at Medicine Hat.

It was 33 below at Saskatoon and Prince Albert, 23 below at Edmonton, 20 below at Winnipeg and Calgary.

Heavy clouds with snow flurries today and tonight are expected to clear by Sunday, according to the weather office.

"We are firmly ensconced in Arctic air at the moment," Weatherman Bill Mackie explained. "It will be with us until Monday, at least."

Up-Island points expected somewhat lower temperatures and some snow. Highways are generally good, although icy, and caution is required in driving.

MALAHAT GOOD

The Malahat is reported good, and sanders have been at work. The Port Alberni-Parksville road is icy and treacherous at the summit.

About two inches of snow fell in the Nanaimo-Ladysmith area between 3 p.m. and 11 p.m., turned to slush on the roads, then froze. The worst areas have been sanding.

Fuel dealers reported a "normally busy" cold-weather Saturday, with deliveries being made on time. Pick-up fuel depots were extra busy, with 20 to 30 cars waiting to pick up pre-tops and coal, in small quantities.

At press time, all transportation companies were operating on schedule.

RESULTS PAGE 7

Ont. Girl Heads B.C. Nurse Exams

A Longwood, Ontario, girl has taken top honors in registration examinations of the Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia.

She is Alice Annie Robertson who trained at the Vancouver General Hospital school of nursing.

She headed a group of 204 who took the examinations last month. Eighteen were from Victoria.

Placing second was Lorna Jean Bowden of New Westminster, who attended the St. Paul's Hospital school of nursing. Third was Edith Violet Russell of North Vancouver who trained at VGH.

A full list of successful nurses appears on page 7.

Launching Date Set

VANCOUVER (CP)—CPR officials report the Princess of Vancouver, 7,000-ton ferry to operate between here and Nanaimo, will be launched in Glasgow March 7.

OL' VIC SAYS:
Jus' think. Other parts o' Canada hev bin havin' it all winter.
While th' Mayor's in Ottawa he might put in a plug fer that boat service t' Frisco, too.
The Chinese seem t' be insistin' on firin' so there'll be somethin' t' cease.

Final Frame Drive Wins For V's

Penticton V's, Canada's representative in the World Hockey Tournament, exploded for four goals in the third period today to score a tense 5-3 victory over the dark-horse Czechoslovakian club.

Penticton took a 1-0 lead in the first period but the Czechs tied it in the second period when Doug Kilburn deflected the puck into his own net.

The Canadian club remained favored to restore the world championship, won by Russia last year, on the strength of their all-out assault in the last period that netted them four goals while the Czechs scored two.

DARK HORSES
The Czechs are considered the dark horses of the nine-country competition, and the main roadblock to Canada's bid to regain the title it lost to Russia last year.

The first period was hard fought all the way and the Canadians drew all four penalties.

PENALIZED

Bill Warwick, who almost single-handedly licked the Americans on Friday by scoring six goals, was the first to go off in the fifth minute for elbowing.

Defenceman George McAvoy got a boarding sentence at 7:32, forward Don Berry was penalized for highsticking at 12:45 and defenceman Kevin Conway ended up in the bastille for checking in the 14th minute.

In crushing the United States 12-1 Friday, the Canadians got only one penalty, Conway, for boarding. When they played the same Czech team to a 3-3 tie in Prague last Sunday, the Canadians drew eight of the 11 penalties handed out.

FIRST BLOOD

Jack MacDonald, 23-year-old pivot of the Canadians' No. 1 forward line, scored unassisted after 45 seconds of the first period to give Penticton V's, Canada's representatives in the nine-country tournament, a 1-0 lead.

Fighting bitterly all the way, the fast-skating Czechs knocked the count at 4:06 of the second period when their star, Vlastimil Bubnik, drove in an unassisted goal.

The Canadians by far got the worst of it in the penalty department. Of the eight penalties handed out in the first two periods, the Penticton crew drew seven of them.

LINEUPS

Canada—Goal, McLellan; defense, McAvoy, Conway, Terrell, Balthasar, forwards, MacDonald, Kilburn, G. Warwick, W. Warwick, R. Warwick, McIntyre, Shabasa, eBerry.

Czechoslovakia—Goal, Hanal; defense, Gut, Bielek, Vachek, Bubnik, Lidski, forwards, Vlastimil, Bubnik, Barton, Danda, Hajek, Sedak, Paskalek, Rejman, Zabrodsky, Sekira.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Canada, MacDonald 9:45. Penalties: W. Warwick 5:00, McAvoy 7:32, Berry 12:45, Conway 14:00.

Second period—2, Czechoslovakia (Vlastimil Bubnik) 4:06. Penalties: Lidski 6:40, MacDonald 11:12, Conway 15:00 (minor and major).

Bonn Arms Vote Nears Despite Last-Ditch Fight

BONN (AP)—Opposition Socialists rallied their forces today for a last-ditch—but apparently hopeless—struggle to block the Paris treaties rearming West Germany.

Eden-Dulles Rift Denied

SINGAPORE (UP)—Sir Anthony Eden today denied he had disagreed with U.S. Secretary of State John Foster Dulles on use of the word "communism" in the communique issued by the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization at Bangkok Friday.

They are: James Houston of Toronto, director of handicrafts for the northern affairs department; Sydney J. Sillett of Vancouver, department of transport employee; an Eskimo woman named Attaloak, and her four-year-old child.

JOHNSON CHARGES LOSS ON B.C. POWER BONDS
In a special article appearing on Page 4 today, former Premier Byron Johnson delves into the recent sale of B.C. Power Commission bonds in Wall Street, and points out that the government lost \$224,018 as the result of conversion from U.S. funds.
Added to this is the interest loss on the bonds over a 35-year period, totaling \$330,625.
Mr. Johnson concludes: "It is my thought the gravest implication in this matter is in reporting to the Legislature an interest rate on borrowing based on a foreign currency instead of the currency we use in our country."

ADDICT'S OWN STORY

Must Steal To Get Dope

(The drug traffic on the B.C. coast has become notorious. Its main centre is Vancouver. Victoria fortunately is to a large extent free of the more evil implications of it. But there are drug addicts here and they face similar problems to those on the mainland. This year the B.C. government proposes an experimental program to deal with the addiction problem. Just what can this do for an addict? To show the public something of the problem, a Victoria addict who has been in and out of trouble with the law for years has told his personal story to the Times. Following is the last of a series.)

AS TOLD TO TONY DICKASON
Basically, drug addicts are above average in intelligence—like studies have proved many alcoholics.

They must be to sustain their habit. But the reason they started on drugs in the first place is mostly because of an underlying personality conflict. Many were non-conformists in the eyes of society even before they took their first fix.

While Alcoholics Anonymous has done a good job keeping drinkers away from the bottle, Narcotics Anonymous, put termed on the same line, is not very successful.

The movement started in the Lexington Hospital for addicts, and the first Canadian group is in the New Westminster penitentiary. It's a self-help business in more ways than one. It's likely they help each other get drugs more than they strive to aid the other fellow in keeping clear.

Something that is not widely known is that the Habitual Criminal Act—which can put a party in jail for life—is mostly aimed at addicts.

NO PAROLE

Approximately eight now jailed under the act—there are about a dozen all told—are addicts. An addict never gets a parole even if jailed for shorter periods. It's never even considered. First offenders among thieves, and rapists, come first!

The \$45,000 earmarked by the B.C. government to fight addiction this year on an experimental basis is just laugh-

able. According to news reports the money will be used for treatment—but authorities have not made up their minds what kind of treatment this will be.

If the idea is to cure addicts, then they may as well throw the \$45,000 down the drain. And there can be no rehabilitation on this small amount, though it is surely a step in the right direction.

If clinics were established on which addicts could receive a minimum of drugs where needed, an addict could lead a life as normal as anyone else—with the exception of his periodic drug treatment. As I've said before, a job would have to be part and parcel of the rehabilitation scheme.

ALL FOR DOPE

What do you think makes an addict a criminal? Do you think he steals for fun? Many thousands of dollars in stolen goods have passed through my hands, but nothing sticks. It goes for "medicine" as we call narcotics.

Saturday is my toughest day. When I'm on the dope, like all other sufferers, that's when I have to hustle money to keep going over Sunday.

I said addicts must be bright in their methods of operation. This is true, because they are expert thieves and rarely go to jail for theft but for possession of narcotics.

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IN PARLIAMENT

Legislation Approved To Aid Natural Gas Exports Across Border

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

Legislation expected to help Canadian natural gas find United States markets has received approval.

It is a bill removing federal power—never used—to tax exports of gas, oil and other fluids and restricting the present unlimited government authority to cancel licenses for their export.

The measure, which also provides for federal licensing of natural gas imports, was given second reading—approval in principle—Friday night. It passed committee study, too, and now needs only a formal final reading before going to the Senate.

Trade Minister Howe said the measure does little to alter federal policy on export of natural gas, oil and electricity. He indicated, however, that ending dormant export-tax powers is aimed at helping Canadian gas companies enter U.S. markets.

CONSIDERABLE CONCERN He said that, in applications by Canadian companies to the U.S. Federal Power Commission

there has been considerable concern over the taxing power. It was being abolished to give reassurance that the government did not intend to impose a tax.

His statement was an apparent reference to the FPC rejection last year of a bid by Canada's Westcoast Transmission Co. for a license to pipe Peace River gas into the U.S. Pacific northwest. Westcoast now is planning a new arrangement which needs FPC approval.

Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. also needs FPC approval for a line from Winnipeg to the Minneapolis area in connection with its 2,200-mile line from southern Alberta to eastern Canada. It is expected FPC approval of the two companies' applications will be encouraged by the relaxation of federal power to cancel gas and oil export licenses.

New Set-Up Asked for Harbors Board

Renewed opposition demands were made Friday for establishment of local advisory councils to help the National Harbors Board run Canada's eight national ports.

Harold Green (PC-Vancouver-Quadra), opposition expert on transportation matters, said there is great need for such councils, especially in Vancouver. Present setup of a board in Ottawa, with local port managers responsible only to Ottawa, was not the best possible one.

He spoke on a resolution preparatory to the introduction of a government bill which would raise the number of board members to four from three.

Instead of providing for just an additional member to the board, Transport Minister Marler also should take one step further and provide for local advisory councils, Mr. Green said.

NOT BE PAID

They would include representatives of city councils, business and labor interests and would not be paid or hold executive authority. They would advise the board on needs of their ports.

By advising the board on needs of their ports, they would help it come to grips with local port problems.

Mr. Green said the demand for such councils has been made repeatedly and unsuccessfully in the Commons, adding:

"The desire seems to be to hold all the strings right here in Ottawa; there must be complete control here in Ottawa."

He also called for a west coast representative on the National Harbors Board. Vancouver had more ships moving in and out of its harbor than any other port in Canada.

The Commons Friday decided to recess for Easter from Wednesday, April 6, to Monday, April 18. Easter Sunday is April 10.

The recess will run from the 6 p.m. adjournment on April 6 to 2:30 p.m. April 18.

A national energy policy to safeguard Canada's use of her own resources was recommended Friday night by a front-bench Progressive Conservative.

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Atomic Sub Makes Deep Dive Sunday

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Opposition Criticizes Cuts In Agriculture Expenditures

Estimates for the agriculture department, a \$1,207,450 appropriation reduced \$76,000 from last year, were approved in the legislature Friday.

MLA's spent a leisurely afternoon discussing the minor and major problems confronting the agriculture of the province.

Randolph Harding, (CCF-Kaslo-Slocan) criticized the government for reducing the estimates. He said services are being cut, "at a time when farmers in this province need every bit of help they can get from this government."

"This is the most important department in the government, and we are letting it slide," Mr. Harding said.

Liberal Leader Arthur Laing urged a program of land settlement to open up new farming areas. He asked for "every

possible co-operation" between the provincial and federal agricultural departments.

Agriculture Minister Kenneth Kiernan said the reduction in his department's estimates is the result of increased efficiency, through consolidation

Libraries Aid Communism Anti-Red Says

Communism through library books was the subject of a closed-doors meeting of about 70 Victorians at Loughheed's Banquet Hall Thursday night. Speaker was Ron Gostick, eastern publisher of The Canadian Intelligencer, an anti-Communist newspaper.

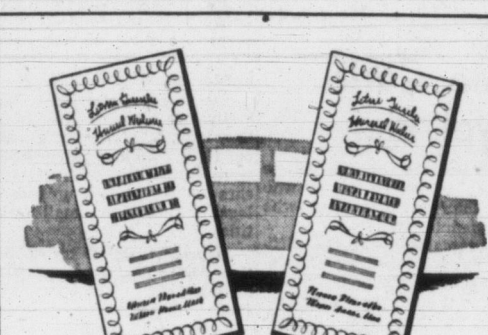
Invitations had been sent to about 300 by Mrs. Doris Loughheed, former library board member. The press was not invited.

The speaker attacked libraries for failing to keep copies of "The Iron Curtain Over America." This book was criticized last year as a textbook for McCarthyism.

He claimed there was "lots of Communist guff" on the library bookshelves.

Eight in Family Flee Fire at Mission City

MISSION CITY (CP)—Dr. S. J. K. Clayton, veterinarian, roused his wife and six children and all escaped through a window Friday when their home here caught fire. One wing of the building was undamaged. An overheated oil stove is believed to have started the blaze.



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B.C. Electric's Mearns Heads Natural Resources Conference

William C. Mearns of Victoria, operations manager for B.C. Electric on Vancouver Island, was elected president of the Ninth B.C. Natural Resources Conference at the concluding session of the Eighth Conference Friday afternoon at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Mearns succeeds Dr. Peter Larkin, chief fisheries biologist for the B.C. Game Department.

Dr. J. R. Brett, assistant scientist at the Pacific Biological Laboratory, Nanaimo, was elected vice-president of the conference, while Dr. David B. Turner, director of conservation for the provincial government, and N. J. Goode, public health engineer with the provincial government, were returned to the offices of secretary and treasurer, respectively.

50-PAGE ATLAS

Tom Leach, CBC farm broadcaster, was re-elected publicity chairman, and Prof. J. D. Chapman, of the geography department of UBC, named to head a committee which will prepare a 50-page atlas of B.C., to be issued in time for next year's conference meeting.

Others named to the executive, as representatives of various resources, were:

Dr. J. D. Kania, Pemberton Securities, Vancouver, who will head the "People" section; Harry Duker, Vancouver, head of "Recreation"; Dr. J. Hatter, chief game biologist, B.C. Game Commission, Vancouver, head of

"Wildlife"; W. McGillivray, deputy minister of agriculture for B.C., "Agriculture."

Prof. J. Kerr, faculty of forestry, UBC, will head the "Forestry" section; Dr. M. S. Hedley, senior geologist with the B.C. department of mines, "Mining," and C. F. Ripley, soil consultant, Vancouver, "Soil."

Dr. Brett, in addition to being conference vice-president, will head the "Fisheries" section.

The atlas being prepared for next year will cost the conference \$50,000 to compile and publish. Copies will be available to the public at a cost of \$5 each.

ARMY MUSICIANS SAIL

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In the House

A Communist Looks On B.C.'s Legislature

By TONY DICKASON

What does the Communist Party think of the Legislature in Victoria?

Not very much, in the words of the correspondent for the Pacific Tribune.

It's published in Vancouver. The LLP (Labor Progressive Party) which doesn't mind admitting it is Communist, also publishes a Tribune in Toronto.

On the Pacific Tribune, the correspondent here was careful. "Circulation," he said, "can lie within 15,000. In other words, it might be a 15,000 circulation."

Anyway, on the legislature, the Communist correspondent doesn't mind revealing his ideas. (It's all good party publicity). But there's no reason why they shouldn't be stated, so here they are, for what they are worth.

Not Even a Pink in the House

According to our source, no body in the legislature is a Red. There is not even a pure pink in the yattering tribe. As he put it, they are all "washed out, as it were."

He gave a backhanded compliment to two members, Tom Uphill (Labor/Fernie), oft-times mayor there and Legislature perennial who "is right" and to Doctor Larry Giovando, Independent member for Nanaimo and the Islands (Gulf), who "is wrong."

But he had plaudits for both as "obviously the only B.C.ers left who can think for themselves."

This lad is an ex-RCN officer, the type who will be a student till the day he dies and in his own words here—"a black-listed university professor."

Actually, he's a bright boy and a personable fellow. Why he's an LPP adherent is difficult to understand. This chap was a top-rater in his school. Still is, conversationally. He's 33.

With all this publicity, Mr. Shaltewitch, to use his own words, believes "I'm going to get the Tim Buck Medal, with double-plated gold hammer and sickle." Of course, he chortled somewhat.

In his opinion, Premier W. A. C. Bennett—a successful capitalist—is the least radical of the cabinet ministers. However, he gave a plus to one cabinet minister. Just the outlook, not the politics, our correspondent indicated.

(Ladies: I don't think anything about Mrs. Lydia Arsen and her clothes. She should follow the example of Princess Margaret. This is a Commie quote.)

Some years ago we endeavored to get some information from the Russian Embassy in Ottawa. They were polite but firm. Nothing forthcoming. So we asked the PT correspondent why the shut-up. Answer: "We (the LPP) can't be responsible for the Russian embassy."

According to the PT correspondent Commies favors parliamentary government "but the kind we want."

Who doesn't?

Future for LPP in B.C. Claimed

There's a future for the LPP in B.C., according to our informant. But he is a bit upset. "They steal our ideas," concerning legislative functions, he alleged.

Of opposition types he summed it up very well, leaving an element of doubt in reader minds. Checked on a half dozen, if they were LPP inclined, the answer was "no comment."

But elucidating, he pronounced a definite "no" when asked if there was any slight affiliation between the LPP and the CCF in this province. This correspondent has covered four sessions of the legislature here.

O.C. SOCCER

LONDON (Reuters)—Results of soccer games today in the United Kingdom:

ENGLISH LEAGUE	
DIVISION I	
Arsenal 3, Sheffield W. 2	
Burnley 3, Charlton A. 0	
Cardiff 2, Manchester U. 0	
Chelsea 4, Huddersfield T. 1	
Everton vs. Aston Villa (postponed)	
Leicester C. vs. Bolton (postponed)	
Manchester C. vs. Wolverhampton (postponed)	
Newcastle United 1, Sunderland 2	
Preston N.E. 3, Blackpool 1	
Sheffield U. vs. Portsmouth (postponed)	
W. Bromwich vs. Tottenham (postponed)	

Division II	
Birmingham C. vs. Fulham (postponed)	
Bury 1, Doncaster R. 4	
Hull C. 0, Plymouth A. 2	
Ipswich T. 1, Blackburn R. 1	
Leeds U. 1, Derby C. 0	
Lincoln vs. Port Vale (postponed)	
Luton T. vs. Bristol R. (postponed)	
Millwall 4, Swansea T. 2	
Nottingham F. vs. West Ham (postponed)	
Stoke C. vs. Notts C. (postponed)	

DIVISION III	
SOUTHERN	
Brentford 1, Exeter C. 0	
Brighton 1, Colchester U. 1	
Bristol C. 1, Southern U. 2	
Coventry C. vs. Newport C. (postponed)	
Gillingham 2, Northampton T. 2	
Leyton O. 0, Watford 1	
Millwall 1, Bournemouth 1	
Reading 5, Crystal Palace 0	
Shrewsbury T. vs. Swindon T. (postponed)	

Division IV	
Accrington 3, Chester 0	
Barnsley vs. Rochdale (postponed)	
Barrow vs. Chesterfield (postponed)	
Bradford C. vs. Tranmere R. (postponed)	
Hullfax T. vs. Hartlepool U. (postponed)	
Manfield T. 1, Carlisle U. 1	
Oldham A. 1, Stockport C. 1	
Scunthorpe U. vs. Bradford (postponed)	
Southport 0, Darlington 0	
Workington 3, Crewe Alexandra 3	
Wrexham vs. Grimsby T. (postponed)	
York C. 2, Gateshead 1	

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
DIVISION A	
Celtic 5, St. Mirren 2	
Dundee vs. East Fife (postponed)	
Paisley 2, Hearts 2	
Hibernian vs. Stirling A. (postponed)	
Kilmarnock 1, Rangers 0	
Partick T. 0, Motherwell 0	
Queen of South 2, Aberdeen 0	
Rathfriland 2, Clyde 3	

Division B	
Albion R. vs. Dundee U. (postponed)	
Aloha vs. Queens Park (postponed)	
Arbroath 3, Airdrieonians 1	
Brechin C. vs. Ayr U. (postponed)	
Dunfermline A. vs. Forfar A. (postponed)	
Hamilton A. 1, Morton 0	
St. Johnstone 0, Cowdenbeath 2	
Third Lanark 0, Stenhousemuir 2	

Division C	
Ards 4, Cliftonville 5	
Ballymena vs. Linfield (postponed)	
Crusaders vs. Glenties (postponed)	
Derry C. vs. Distillery (postponed)	
Glenties 1, Bann 1	
Portadown 3, Coleraine 1	

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Japanese Go To Polls On Sunday

By JIM BECKER

TOKYO (AP)—Japan votes Sunday in a national election that will help set her course in the cold-war struggle between Communism and the West.

It also will decide how fast Japan will rearm.

Predictions are that the Conservatives will pile up a commanding margin.

A record 37,000,000 to 38,000,000 Japanese men and women are expected to vote. Women have voted in Japan since the war.

It is Japan's sixth postwar election and her third since regaining independence in April, 1952.

These major parties are in the race:

1. Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama's Democratic party (conservative), which now holds 124 seats in the lower house. Hatoyama, 71, favors increased trade and diplomatic ties with Japan's Communist neighbors, but does not want to weaken Japan's strong bonds with the United States.

2. The equally conservative Liberal party of former prime minister Shigeru Yoshida, largest now with 180 seats. The Liberals warn against going too far with Communist trade. They follow solidly American foreign policy.

3. The right Socialists, with 61 seats. They tend to favor a neutral course in the cold war and oppose rearmament.

4. The left Socialists, with 74 seats. The leftists range from neutralism to pro-Communism and are strongly opposed to rearmament.

5. The Communists, who have

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A-G Intervenes In Vancouver Drug Charges

New Raids Harass 'Pushers,' Addicts

VANCOUVER (CP)—In an action rare for B.C., jury trial has been ordered by the Attorney-General's Department for two Vancouver men charged with possession of heroin with intent to traffic.

William Slosson, 34, and James Malgren, 28, thus are deprived of the right to choose between trial by magistrate and trial by jury. They face up to 14 years in prison, if convicted.

Slosson and Malgren were charged after RCMP found a cache of 50 capsules of heroin beside a fence in the lane behind a private house.

MORE RAIDS

Vancouver's all-out war on drug addicts and traffickers brought two more raids overnight by Det.-Sgt. Archie Plummer's reinforced narcotics squad.

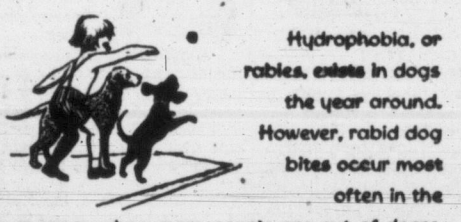
More than 20 suspects were checked by police in the raids, the first on an east-end beer parlor, the second at a downtown Granville Street address.

In the beer parlor raid, the suspects were herded onto the street by eight police officers and searched for narcotics. No arrests were made.

Police said the raids brought to more than 150 the number of known or suspected addicts and traffickers checked since Monday.

Ald. William Orr today demanded a conference of federal, provincial and municipal officials to co-ordinate the round-the-clock campaign.

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The Marshal's Bombs

MARSHAL ZHUKOV TELLS THE Russian people that they have more atomic weapons than the United States. Even if this is true—and probably it is not—does it matter much? As a soldier Marshal Zhukov must know that it doesn't.

Assuming that a world war is fought with atomic weapons, a few more of them on one side or the other will make very little difference. For the United States and Russia have now reached a point of no return where either is capable of destroying the other—a stalemate of power, what Sir Winston Churchill has called "a balance of terror," different not only in size but in kind from any balance of power ever known before.

Out of this balance Sir Winston hopes that some kind of uneasy peace may be achieved, since both sides know that mutual destruction must follow if the atomic trigger is ever pulled. Hence power, in such terms, cannot be reckoned by the number of bombs in Russia or the free world. What value are extra bombs to their possessor if he has been shattered already by the fewer bombs of his enemy?

Once the ultimate power of destruction has been attained on both sides, the number of bombs loses all meaning and, as President Eisen-

hower has said, there is really no alternative to peace by suicide.

Marshal Zhukov, however, is no longer a soldier only; he is a politician, one of the most powerful men in that internal struggle for power called the Russian Government. As a politician he must play the Kremlin's great game of politics. And at the moment the Russian Government is in deep political trouble at home.

It must persuade its people to accept a sudden and violent change in high policy—the disappearance of Malenkov's promise of increased consumer goods and the re-appearance, under Khrushchev, of Stalin's iron program of capital investment and increased armament.

If the people are to accept this bitter disappointment, after so many years of waiting for more houses, more food and an easier life, they must be diverted by the usual red herring of foreign danger.

Therefore Zhukov, the politician, terrifies the people by the old reliable bogey of American aggression, knowing very well that the United States is not seeking a yard of foreign territory. At the same time, to justify the huge drain of Russian energies into weapons, he boasts of an atomic superiority which doubtless does not exist and which could not save Russia or anyone else from destruction if it did.

Another Move on Divorce

THE CANADIAN SENATE HAS again before it a bill seeking to widen grounds for divorce. Introduced by Senator William Aseltine, Progressive-Conservative from Saskatchewan, the measure provides a rough parallel to the British law.

Under the bill, grounds for divorce would include adultery—the sole justification now recognized—but to that would be added desertion for three years, cruelty and insanity. In addition, a wife could petition if the husband were guilty of rape, sodomy or bestiality.

Sen. Aseltine's bill has been given first reading. It may be expected to win approval in later stages, as did the similar measure introduced by the late Conservative Senator Lendrum McMeans of Winnipeg. The latter was endorsed by the Senate in

1938, but failed in second reading in the Commons.

Beyond its primary intent—to break the inhuman shackles which sometimes bind partners to an unnecessary domestic tragedy—the bill will provide a test of Parliamentary thinking and development in the last 17 years.

The present law has so far outlived its usefulness that it has become an open invitation to collusion, evidence and perjury. Denied entirely reasonable grounds for divorce, couples frequently turn now to manufactured testimony, itself an agent creating a cynical attitude to the courts.

It is to be hoped that the House of Commons will not halt passage of the bill. Opposition would serve no genuine moral purpose.

How Small Is Superman!

THE WORLD WILL LITTLE note—nor long remember what the backbenchers in British Columbia's legislature say. And more's the pity when Mrs. Lydia Arsens makes a speech.

Out of the dull, drab stuff of politics she fashions a rainbow, a gay thing shining more brightly than the philosophy of Voltaire's Pangloss, who searched diligently for excellence in his best of all possible worlds.

She endows Mr. Bennett's budget with the glory of the sunset. She finds in the premier-minister of finance a generosity that leaves the opposition beggared for words of complaint.

If the Government is spending more, taxing more and borrowing more (in somebody else's name, of

course), she can gaily overlook such details.

But even to so blithe a spirit there is some cause for distress. As the only woman in the House, she finds herself so often under the microscope that she can't even change raiment without comment in the press. Dear lady, to think that anything she wears upon her head could rival what she wears inside it!

A maid among a multitude of men, she finds her obligations onerous. "Everybody," she says, "expects me to be Superman."

No, Mrs. Arsens, the metaphor is too restricting. Leave to the comic strips and radio that well-worn exclamation: "It's a bird! It's a plane! It's Superman!" Transcending far such mean comparison is the briefer, stronger shout: "It's Lydia."

WHEN MR. BENNETT WENT TO WALL STREET

A Curious Deal in British Columbia Bonds

By BYRON I. JOHNSON, former Premier of B.C.

I HAVE been asked by the newspapers to comment on a question put on the Order Paper by Mr. Bruce Brown, M.L.A., for Prince Rupert, asking for information in connection with a loan which was negotiated by the Minister of Finance in New York on October 21, 1953 on behalf of the B.C. Power Commission, and the answer given to that question by the Minister of Finance.

In explaining this transaction in the Legislature on March 8, 1954—page 13, Budget Speech—the Premier and Minister of Finance said:

"Acting on behalf of the British Columbia Power Commission, the Minister of Finance negotiated in New York the sale of \$10,000,000 of that commission's sinking fund bonds, carrying the full guarantee of the Province. These bonds carry a 4 per cent interest-coupon and have a life term of thirty-five years.

"The principal and interest are payable in U.S. dollars only, and the price received was \$95.60 per \$100, or a cost of 4.02% to the commission in **TERMS OF THAT CURRENCY.**

LONG TERM

"This is the first time that a provincially guaranteed security has been sold in the United States market for as long a term as thirty-five years. This fact, combined with the excellent price had, is a source of satisfaction, because it enables the imposition of low as well as stable customer rates by the Commission, and eliminates future refunding processes."

I find it difficult to understand how the Premier and Minister of Finance,

speaking in the Legislature in presenting his budget, outlining the financial condition of the province, would base his figures on the sale of bonds, negotiated by himself, including interest rate, in a **foreign currency** instead of the currency which we use in our country, i.e., the Canadian dollar.

How misleading this is can best be judged by outlining the complete story of this transaction from the information supplied in the speech of the Minister of Finance, and the answer on the Order Paper to Mr. Brown's question, which states the amount the Power Commission received in Canadian funds for this \$10,000,000 issue was \$9,775,981.85.

COST OF FINANCING

Now, let us analyze how this affects the actual cost of this financing.

The Power Commission issued \$10,000,000, 4% bonds.

The Power Commission received in Canadian funds, as reported by the Minister of Finance, on the Order Paper, in answer to Mr. Brown's question, \$9,775,981.85.

Net loss in cash on sale of \$10,000,000 bonds in U.S. funds—transferring U.S. funds to Canadian funds, \$224,018.15.

For 35 years the Power Commission will pay interest on this loss at 4%. Interest for one year at 4% on \$224,018.15 equals \$9,160.72; and for 35 year life of the bond, \$9160.72 times 35, \$320,625.20.

Repayment of principal lost in sale of bonds, \$224,018.15. Total, \$544,643.35.

In other words, the users of power

supplied by the B.C. Power Commission will, over the next thirty-five years, pay the discount and interest on the loss made in selling in U.S. funds and converting to Canadian dollars, amounting to \$544,643.35. Certainly this loss in transferring U.S. funds to Canadian funds, not



MR. BYRON I. JOHNSON

reported to the Legislature by the Premier as Minister of Finance, does not support the observation made by the Premier, "combined with the excellent price had, is a source of satisfaction, because it enables the imposition of low as well

as stable customer-rates by the commission."

Quoting again from the Premier's speech "the price received was 99.60 per 100, or a cost of 4.02 per cent to the commission in **TERMS OF THAT CURRENCY.**" Transferring the U.S. funds to Canadian funds brought the yield per 100 down to 97.759 in Canadian funds, which on the basis of 4.02 in U.S. funds raises the rate in Canadian funds to 4.112 per cent. What this means in dollars and cents can best be judged by comparing the difference between 4.02% U.S. and 4.112 Canadian.

DIFFERENCE IN COST

.02% on \$10,000,000 for one year equals \$2,000. For the life of the bond—35 years, 35 times 2,000, \$70,000.

.112% on \$10,000,000 for one year equals 11,200. For the life of the bond—35 years, 35 times 11,200 \$392,000.

This is the difference in cost to the Power Commission:

Actual cost in Canadian funds not reported to the Legislature, 4.112%, \$392,000.

Reported to the Legislature in U.S. funds, 4.02%, \$70,000. Difference more than reported, \$322,000.

However, it is my thought the gravest implication in this matter is in reporting to the Legislature an interest rate on borrowing based on a **foreign currency** instead of the currency which we use in our country—the Canadian dollar.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

As Our Readers See It

PEEL AND APPEAL

Last Saturday night, while the good mothers of our fair city were out marching for dimes for polio-stricken victims, the entertainment committee of a local lumber firm paid good money to have a strip-tease artist put on an act at the lumber firm's employees' annual smoker.

I feel very disgusted over the entire performance, and would recommend that in future such entertainment be more closely scrutinized by the wives of these employees.

How about it you mothers who marched last Saturday night? Any in favor?

A DISGUSTED MOTHER

PERSONAL OBSERVATION

In answer to Mr. S. G. Smith's letter, he tells me I don't take the trouble to check with our game department biologists to find out about our deer.

What would I want to check with anybody for to find out something I have seen with my own eyes? I have been living on Vancouver Island all my life. That is quite a few winters, and I don't guess I get opinions or information from any one else.

I state again our deer do not die from starvation in our winters because nature has supplied them abundantly with their natural food.

OLD LOGGER.

APPRECIATED

A very loving and grateful thanks to that wonderful body of women the VON. It was 40 years ago this month I first knew them recommended by the late beloved Dr. R. L. Fraser.

They trapped the deep snow to give me (and I expect many more) pre-natal care; they were as kind then as now; their expert care was given with love and they are still taking care of me, often twice a day. Only last week they came 3 times one day, at all times they work under doctor's orders; come with smiles and cheery words which mean so much to a patient. I love every one of them and want to say: God Bless each and every one of them.

It is with a very grateful heart I write this letter.

N. HIGGINS.

128 Montreal St.

CORRECTION

In the third paragraph of my letter "No Brotherhood" of Feb. 23, the word "validate" should have read "invalidate."

C. M. CADWALLADER.

LOOSE ENDS

NOW, after long winter abdication, the king of spades returns with all the power and the glory of the earth. I am referring, of course, to real spades of steel and wood, not to their cardboard images which amuse light minds over the bridge and canasta tables. I am welcoming, in plain terms, the return of the shovel and the great season of digging.

The season is early this year, quite out of joint. How many men in the whole northern hemisphere, from Winnipeg to Moscow, man's coldest cities if I

happily breed of Vancouver Islanders can hope to enjoy the pleasure of a shovel in February? Only a handful of fortunate gardeners on this coast can hope to dig before the year is two months old.

YES, and only a handful among this handful really know how to dig. For it is an art, a high art, a cunning combination of brain and muscle, of chemistry and mechanics, of imagination and mere animal instinct—a combination, in short which only a whole man can hope to manage.

Observe, therefore, a master digging in February. The man digging yonder has not acquired his art easily. He has served a long apprenticeship, he has made many mistakes and corrected them, he has learned the laws of mechanics, he has made himself, indeed, a perfect machine, but much more than a machine—a philosopher also with his energies, physical and mental, extended by five feet of wooden handle and a foot of sharp steel.

A FATAL LOGIC BRINGS FRUSTRATION

The Balancing Act of French Politics

A 46-YEAR-OLD Frenchman who writes his children's stories in his spare time became, last Wednesday night, the twenty-first premier of France to hold office since the war. Possibly no fiction he ever devised has equalled the weird and almost unbelievable features of the French political system.

The mere impact of the statistic—21 governments within ten years—tells at a glance the story of the Republic's sorry plight.

While Europe and the rest of the globe have struggled from one vital crisis to another; while a cold war as dangerous as many shooting conflicts has been fought between two hemispheres; while the world has lurched into an atomic age whose dangers are the greatest ever to threaten humanity; while questions of critical national and global importance have cried for answers—France has found itself twenty-one times without a government, sometimes for weeks on end.

CLOSE TO SUICIDE

Such a condition comes close to fostering national suicide. In many cases, selection of the eventual premier is a work of last-minute desperation, several other candidates having failed before him to form a government. In the present instance, M. Faure was the fourth to try in a 19-day period of administrative breakdown. Yet even in his moment of success he knows that his reign will be precarious and almost inevitably brief.

What lies behind this crippling impediment to leadership of a great country? Where has the democratic process gone sour?

There are two houses of parliament under the French republican system: the National Assembly and the Council of the Republic. The former exerts almost all the power. Elected by universal suffrage it controls the budget and its majority support must be won for all legislation. The function of the President of the Republic is mainly ceremonial, although he is who calls on likely prospects to form a government. The successful aspirant must win a majority in the Assembly in order to assume office.

Among the 627 members of the Assembly are to be found more than a dozen distinct political parties. It is this multiplicity of parties that frustrates the whole parliamentary process. For while a premier may win the support of a majority for a single purpose—such as when

M. Mendes-France secured approval of his Indo-China policy—he may require quite a different grouping of supporting factions to achieve some other objective.

It is extremely difficult for him to command the allegiance of a solid, unchanging majority of members. In the shifting and balancing of factions it is only a matter of time before any leader must be defeated.



MR. EDGAR FAURE

Thus, while M. Mendes-France rode the crest on his Indo-China policy and won a precarious victory on the German rearmament question, his former supporters divided on the North African issue and he was overthrown.

The contrast to the British and Canadian parliamentary systems is strong. In these countries a government elected with a majority retains that majority—except under very unusual circumstances—for the full length of its term. But such a position is only possible when the number of parties is small; even three evenly matched groups can destroy its proper working.

It is not to be supposed, of course, that British or Canadian majority parties contain only persons whose thinking on every topic is identical. Within any party there is a diversity of opinion on

policies. But the point is that there is a definite band of concurrence on general policy to hold the party together; there is compromise on detail in order to achieve agreement in general. Liberals who are not in favor of a particular party plank—say family allowances or the St. Lawrence Seaway—do not rush off and form a splinter party. They compose their differences, seeking the benefits of general belief in the main principles of the party; voicing their opinions when the platform is discussed, but co-operating with the majority after the final decisions are made.

In France, this give-and-take appears to be impossible. Each faction and group, though it may number only a handful of members, is thoroughly steeped in its own doctrines and will fight to the death—even the death of parliament—to preserve them.

NO GENERAL ELECTION

When a French government is defeated there is no general election. The Assembly is elected for a term of five years. Another government must be formed from the same available material, and this accounts for the fact that some men have served as premier several times. Frequently a defeated premier will be taken into the next cabinet as a minister. Meanwhile the new leader must depend on a more or less shaky coalition of parties to provide the majority votes that mean power.

It is true that the constitution provides for dissolution of the Assembly if there are two adverse votes of confidence within 18 months, provided the Assembly has been functioning for at least 13 months. But in practice it has been impossible to implement this provision. A French premier therefore lacks the power with which a Canadian prime minister can exercise control of parliament—the threat of dissolution and a general election.

There is more to the French predicament, of course, than mere constitutional shortcomings. The French legislator appears to be cursed with a fatal logic which drives him to defend his doctrine or his "ism" at all costs but without regard to the wider effects of his political introspection. Until this facet of the Gallic character undergoes a change there seems to be little hope that its outward expression in the political sphere can be altered.—B. A. T.

LOOKING OVER MY SHOULDER

A Better Ship Service for Victoria

TODAY Victoria Chamber of Commerce is battling for better C.P.R. coast service. Twenty-five years ago a high official of the CNR was here talking of extensive dredging in the Inner Harbor. With the arrival of two CNR steamers to add to the service provided by the C.P.R. fleet, Victoria-Vancouver and Seattle would have as fine a service as could be found anywhere in the world, he said.

The Prince Robert and Prince David arrived in August, were on the run for 13 months then sailed other waters until they were called for war work, eventually going to war surplus, according to information from Alderman Austin Curtis who was with the CNR in those days too.

Tugboat executive, Christ Church Cathedral officer 25 years ago and today, Walter Miles was president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and had reason to gloat. Public Works Minister Lougheed announced tenders were being called for the Salt Spring Island ferry for which Walter had led a vigorous campaign. Later the Cy Peck, named for the member for the Gulf Islands, went on the run calling at Fulford and making a tour of the islands one day a week during the summer.

Steamship service to the Gulf Islands becomes an issue again today.

Harold Linham beat Clarence Bry-

Johnson, one up, in the Empress Midwinter Golf Tournament at Colwood. Harold, now a real estate man, has been a member of the Colwood Club for thirty years, has the 1944 city championship to his credit and has been many times a runner-up with Bob Morrison. Going beyond the 25-year mark he also held city and Vancouver Island lightweight boxing championships. That would be about 1920, I think. Clarence operates the store at the coalmine depot. He plays golf only occasionally now.

The idea of midwinter golf was optimistically launched around the time two or three mild snowless winters in a row had inspired publicity bureau writers to slogan "Victoria—the land of twelve months' summer."

PLAYING SAFER

A couple of snow-covered golf courses soon after sabotaged everything, so, playing safer now, the tournament is held in April.

The British Public Schools Club held its fifth annual dinner 25 years ago this week which recalls that around this time a group of ex-British schoolboys got a Dominion charter for a club with which went the privilege of serving liquor. With the club a bit pressed financially George Patton acquired the charter, to found what became popularly known as The Joker's. When the charter members found that North Ward, George Jay and South Park schools ranked equal on a membership application with those of Elton, Harrow or Charterhouse they de-

fully dwindled from the scene but the original name of the club stands.

In the Legislature A. M. Manson, now a judge of the B.C. Supreme Court, argued for medical certificates before marriage. During the discussion other members suggested sterilization of criminals and the insane; nothing was done about it then or since. One member credited lack of action to sentimental foolishness.

Idea of marriage medical exams was dropped because, it was pointed out, Victorians could evade them by taking a trip to Seattle or Port Angeles to get wed. Thursday of this week the Marriage Act was before the B.C. legislature again.

For 24 hours the legality of the marriages of scores of Victorians and the legitimacy of their children was in doubt. Point was whether Dr. Clem Davies who had been running his City Temple for several years after he had broken from the Methodist Church still had the right to perform weddings. Next day the Legislature took the necessary action to make all City Temple weddings legal.

A. M. Manson's comment: "I think I would insist that everybody be married in a Presbyterian Church and then I would know they were properly married."

Re Dr. Clem Davies, he left Victoria for Los Angeles, became a spectacular evangelist challenging Almee Semple McPherson for top place in the spotlight. He died a few years ago in California. He was among those featured in a Saturday Evening Post story, "Radio and Religion."

By TOM MERRIMAN



Merriman

How I Courted Kelly

LONDON—Bernard Braden is telling readers of the Sunday Graphic about the love-life of himself and Barbara Kelly. It is a series called "The Bradens and the Kellys" and the first article describes "How I Courted Kelly."



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Setting the scene in Vancouver—"for a courting couple the closest thing to paradise on earth"—Bernie tells how every night he and Barbara used to park in his car on the hill above the Kelly driveway and have "a good-night kiss that would stretch into an hour or so" and then Barbara would slip into the house and he would coast 50 yards beyond the house before daring to turn the car engine on.

Bernie describes how one spring day he watched Barbara having a swim and his "skin turned prickly all over." He tells of shaking hands with Mr. Kelly, who "didn't crush any bones but let me know that he could have."

He writes of giving Barbara a courting present of a coffee table, and then a ring. Barbara was only 17 at the time and Mrs. Kelly was so ready to speed the ceremony that Bernie thought: there might be a catch in it. "However," he writes, "by that time I was so much in love, nothing mattered." So they decided to get married.

The Sunday Graphic announced the next instalment is entitled "Married!"

ANOTHER CANADIAN HAS BURST into print in the English press. He is Norman Levine, a Montreal author now living in St. Ives, Cornwall. He has done an article for the News Chronicle about revisiting Canada after five years' absence.

He says that "Montreal is still the only city to live in." (Unless you're courting, of course. Then presumably Vancouver is the place).

YOUR HEALTH

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

Lesson in Research

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

Some thoughtful people wonder why we doctors so commonly disagree even after we have done some research. One reason is that there are many pitfalls in research, and another is that some persons never get the spirit of scientific research. They shouldn't be trying to do such work, and usually what they do has no value. Why? Because before they start searching they are so sure what they will find.



Alvarez

Others start out to prove something and then their strong bias commonly makes their work useless and misleading. No man should ever do research to prove or disprove something, but only because he is curious to know what is true. If he starts out to prove something he'll almost certainly remember the results that agree with his convictions, and he'll forget or explain away the results that would tend to wreck his theory.

My greatest lesson in scientific research came once when I put a red-headed woman of 50 into a hospital for treatment. That evening, when I made rounds, the superintendent of nurses apologized because the nurse who had come from the Registry was red-headed, and, as the superintendent said, "I have always heard that red-heads do not get along well together." I said, "But that is folk-lore; let us do some research work and see if the idea is correct."

FOLK-LORE WRONG?

Next day, when I came, the patient was delighted with her nurse, and soon they were very chummy. I said to the superintendent, "You see; as usual with such folk-ideas, it is baseless."

Three weeks later my patient, still so ill that I did not dare let her up, began demanding every morning that I let her go down town to attend to some "urgent business." A few days later, while bending over to listen to her lungs, I noticed that for three-eighths of an inch out from her scalp her hair was grey; only beyond that was it red!

The lesson I learned that day was that before drawing any conclusions from a bit

"Canada is still a good country for the unskilled person who wants work. For the fifth-rate actor or painter or musician. He will be taken up and made a fuss of."

"It remains the worst place to get a drink and the easiest place to hoodwink literary critics."

"There is a fanatic devotion to 'sport,' especially rugby. The big city teams are lucky if they have two Canadian players among the imported Americans."

"Canada's talent lies at the moment in certain sports, in producing good salesmen and being a generous host."

Thus goes the current reading by English newspaper readers about Canada.

A RAP ON THE KNUCKLES FOR EX-Superintendent Bob Fabian—Fabian of the Yard. The chiefs of Scotland Yard say the Fabian films shown on TV contain errors which show the Yard breaking the law. A recent one had a prisoner being held for two weeks without being charged, when the law says 24 hours is the limit. So the BBC has been made to precede each TV film with an announcement that the Fabian of the Yard shows have not been produced with the assistance of the Yard.

THE ORGANIZATION WITH THE HIGH-sounding name of the National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, Middlesex, has turned its attention to—kissing. They say it is not uncommon for couples to give off electric sparks when they kiss. If both man and the woman have very dry lips the friction caused by kissing can generate blue sparks.

The voltage is higher than what you get when you comb your hair—500 volts compared to 300. Sparking occurs in one person in 20 but you don't need to be scared.

"No energy—electrical energy, that is—produced," says the National Laboratory.

Vancouver Island Viewpoint

From Up-Island Newspaper Editorial Columns

Athletic Scholarship

COMOX DISTRICT FREE PRESS

What a pity it is that so many of Canada's young and promising athletes and sportsmen can be so easily snapped up by American universities with the offer of education through scholarships which are not available in this country. In this district we have Terry Tobacco, a youth whose athletic prowess has brought fame to his own district; he has been named B.C.'s Athlete of the Year and he has represented Canada in the British Empire Games. Yet the physical ability of this youth is being eagerly sought by U.S. institutes of learning and he can, if he chooses, take his pick of a number of offers of practically free education. No such offers have come from Canadian universities.

The Ratepayers Speak

THE REVIEW, SIDNEY

At a meeting of ratepayers of Saanich School District No. 63 at Mount Newton High School last week, clearcut instructions were given to the elected trustees. The ratepayers spoke and they said: "Go ahead and prepare a program for construction of classrooms which will be needed during the next three years. Avoid all frills. If you present this program to us, we promise to ratify it at the polls."

This newspaper agrees with the decision of the ratepayers. We are convinced that it was a commonsense stand to take. Classrooms are necessary—but extras are not. The trustees should now proceed to carry out their instructions. And the ratepayers must be equally prompt to give the green light to the project when the referendum is presented.

Further Inflation

THE COWICHAN LEADER

The continuing assault by labor on the earnings of capital is one harbinger of further inflation. There are many signs that costs are going to increase despite a certain stability in prices during the past 18 months which gave some hope that inflation had ended.

Costs are too high now but we still go on spending. It is becoming fairly obvious that the time-honored policy of living within one's immediate income is old-fashioned, that cash down is not the way by which trade today is carried on and that further credit and newer forms of it are setting the pattern for the future. Labor is caught up in this problem in the same way as everyone else.

The alternative to the "easy-money" policy of governments, by which, so far, goods have been kept moving from factory to farm, home and plant, is now considered to produce almost stagnation. Society is afraid to pay its way, a rather sobering thought.

Nanaimo Employment Outlook Promising

NANAIMO — Month-end summary of employment conditions in the Nanaimo area, released by J. H. Fox from the National Employment Office, revealed that employment remained at a good seasonal level in the past month.

The logging and lumbering industry, he said, continued "at peak capacity." However, a labor surplus still exists and orders for help from the bureau are filled with little difficulty. He added that older workers are finding it difficult to compete with the younger men in the employment field.

Farmers, anticipating an early spring, are beginning to seek help, and logging camps that were shut down are resuming full operations gradually.

Highlights of the construction picture are the new junior high school, laying of water mains, progress on the federal building, and several minor projects, including a gas station, repair job to St. Ann's convent, and a proposed new highway bridge at Cassidy.

Work at the new CPR ferry slip will be completed in May, and highway construction north and south of the city will resume immediately weather becomes favorable. Good progress is reported on the new pipeline from South Forks Dam.

Nanaimo Council Refers Park Sale To Planners

NANAIMO—City Council, in the face of rising protest against the sale of Piper Park, has asked the town planning commission for an opinion on disposition of the small park. Council last week tabled a bid of \$1,900, made by Kneen's Builders' Supplies Ltd. for a portion of the park adjacent to company property. Ald. Mrs. Alan Hall said if the city decided to sell it it would have to call for tenders.

The park is situated behind the new Safeway and Simpsons-Sears stores.

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Three Charged After Theft, Bail Granted

NANAIMO (CP)—Three Port Alberni men were charged in police court Friday with breaking and entering in connection with the theft of \$2,000 from Arrowsmith Farm.

Charged were Clifford Venus, Marple Hirst and James Gentry. They were released on \$2,000 bail.

Only Venus and Hirst appeared in court. Gentry is in hospital with injuries received in a car accident shortly after the robbery was discovered Tuesday.

Police said \$1,800 was removed from a safe before the thieves burned the remaining contents, mostly books and farm records. Part of the loot has been recovered.

Baby's Cries Warn Family Of Attic Fire

NANAIMO—Cries of their three-week-old babe saved the R. Hollet family loss of their home and possibly their lives early Thursday morning.

Wailing of the infant awoke Mr. and Mrs. Hollet at about 5 a.m. when they heard the ominous crackling of fire in the attic of their Waddington Road home.

Mrs. Hollet raced from the burning house with her child and sounded the alarm from a neighbor's home while Mr. Hollet fought the blaze.

Nanaimo Fire Department quickly controlled the fire, which did about \$500 damage.

Ganges Officer Selected by UN

OTTAWA (CP)—Maj. Patrick Crofton, 40, of Ganges, Salt Spring Island, has been selected for a year's duty with the United Nations military observer group in India and Pakistan, the army announced Friday. He will leave in mid-April for his new post.

ISLAND DIGEST

Victoria Daily Times SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1955

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Trustee Board Will Direct Langford Community Church

LANGFORD — Plans were heard Wednesday to dissolve the present constitution of the Langford Community Church and substitute for its committee a board of trustees comprising representatives of other community organizations in the district.

The meeting of the club in the Community Hall, twice postponed, had been called to deal with immediate problems and future projects and to discuss possible reorganization. Earlier meetings had failed to draw sufficient members and Wednesday, when only 37 attended, it was decided to proceed immediately with the proposal to reorganize.

These proposals crystallized in a decision to authorize the club's executive to contact other groups, including the Canadian Legion, PTA, Lions, Buffaloes, Guides, and WAS to various church groups, asking them to send two representatives with power to act to a meeting March 23 to form the board of trustees.

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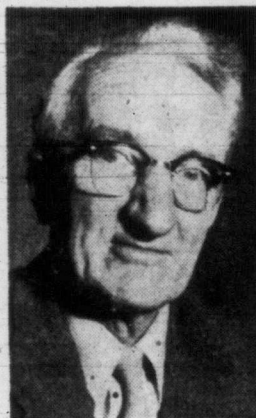
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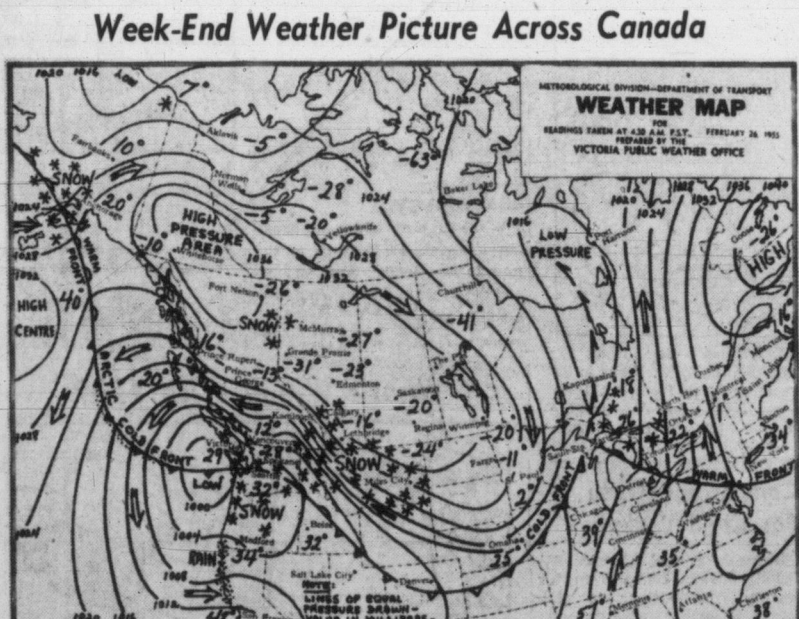
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SYNOPSIS—Cold Arctic air covered B.C. today. Along the mainland coast, strong offshore winds have developed as cold air continues to pour out of inlets.

Cloudy skies in southern districts continue to yield light snowflurries. Skies should clear gradually today to permit sharper drops in temperatures tonight.

Warmer air beginning to move into Alaska will spread slowly southeastward. However, this warm air is still too far away to affect the week-end except to give increasing cloud in northern areas.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, 1955 — 132.5 hours
Last year — 118.7 hours
Precip. to date — 6.07 inches
Last year — 12.20 inches

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE

9 A.M. FORECASTS

Valid until midnight Sunday.

VICTORIA—Cloudy with a few light snowflurries today. Variable clouds tonight. Sunny with cloudy periods Sunday. Colder tonight. Winds northeast 20.

VICTORIA—Decreasing to easterly 15 tonight. Low-high Sunday, 23 and 27.

WEST COAST—Variable cloudiness to Monday. A few clouds tonight and Sunday. Ottawa.

A little colder tonight. Winds easterly 15 Toronto.

today, light Sunday. Low-high at Est.

Winnipeg — 21 6 .03

Regina — 25 4 .03

Vancouver — Cloudy skies today clearing slowly in the afternoon. Colder tonight. Sunny and continuing cold Sunday. Low-high at Vancouver, 20 and 23.

Edmonton — 27 — .01

Calgary — 19 — .01

Kamloops — 20 29 —

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STANLEY, SUNSET SUNDAY

Sunrise 7:01 Sunset 17:58

SUNRISE, SUNSET MONDAY

Sunrise 6:58 Sunset 17:55

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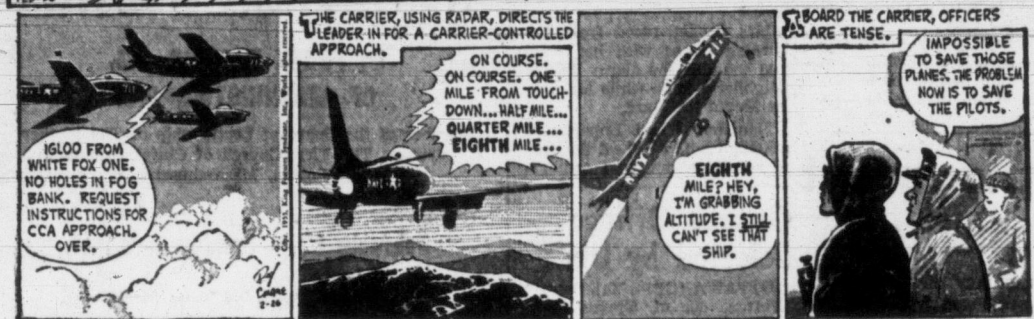
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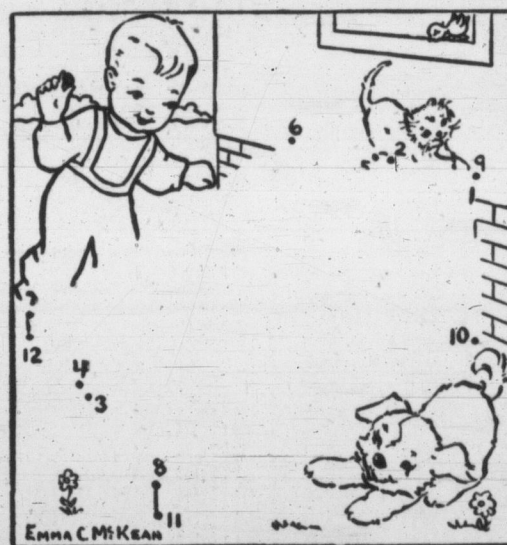


BOARDING HOUSE



Puzzles and Pastimes for Juniors

Dotograph Posers for Juniors



Billy's pup can't see that his master has a dog biscuit for him, because something is obstructing the view. What is it? To find out, draw straight connecting lines from dot 1 up to dot 12. Where two numbers are beside one dot, use the dot for both. Afterwards, color the picture neatly with crayons or pencils.

LETTER PERFECT?

It's surprising how many persons fail this simple test of observation. Without using any kind of marker or pointer, go through the following sentence counting the F's. For a fair test do not go through it more than once.

Famished from insufficient supplies of food Frieda fainted and would have fallen out of the window on the fifth floor if Phyllis had not caught her.

Now see if you were right.

WANTED: SOME NUMBERS

1. What is the smallest whole number that can be divided by 8, 9, 10 and 12 with a remainder of 5 in each case?

2. A certain number is 11 less than twice as much as one-third of itself plus 13. What number?

Answers: 1. Three hundred and fifty. 2. 2, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.

RIDDLE ME THESE

What on earth can be lengthened by being cut at the end?

Competition Open For Child Books

Seventh annual Charles W. Follett Award competition for worthy contributions to children's literature remains open to July 1. Authors should write to Wilcox and Follett Company, 1235 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago 5, Illinois, for entry blanks and the descriptive brochure.

DO YOU KNOW

Thomas Francis Bayard, who served from 1893 to 1897, was the first U.S. ambassador to Great Britain.

The earth is traveling in the direction of the star Vega.

The young of both frogs and toads hatch as tadpoles.

RIDDLE

What relation is a child to its father when it is not its own father's son?

Answer: Daughter, of course!

PAIR THEM OFF

Some famous "partners" are missing below: How many of them can you find?

1. Salt and —
2. Nip and —
3. Needle and —
4. Fine and —
5. Cash and —
6. — and snee.
7. — and taxes.
8. — and keys.
9. — and brush.
10. — and farewell.
11. — and out.
12. Tom, Dick and —
13. Hop, skip and —
14. Rag, tag and —

Answers: 1. Pepper, 2. Tick, 3. Thread, 4. Cherry, 5. Corned, 6. Broom, 7. Lark, 8. Comb, 9. Horse, 10. Alibi, 11. Hare, 12. Hairy, 13. Hairy, 14. Hairy.

BRAINTEASER

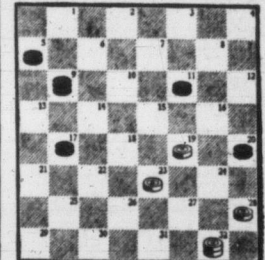
What is that which, supposing its greatest breadth to be four inches, length eight inches and depth three inches, contains a solid foot?

Answer: A shoe worn by a person with a small foot.

There is one thing that no matter how much it is looked into, no one knows any more about it. What is it?

Answer: It might be said of a mirror.

IT'S YOUR MOVE



White wins this one but not in one fell swoop; he overcomes opposition in a few easy stages. Can you plot his game? White, moving up the board, moves first and wins in six moves.

Answers: 1. White moves 2d-3, 2. Black moves 3d-4, 3. White moves 4d-5, 4. Black moves 5d-6, 5. White moves 6d-7, 6. Black moves 7d-8.

What's Wrong With This?



See how quickly you can find 15 things wrong with this picture. Then let someone else try to do it in less time.

Answers: 1. Mirror of curtain holder, 2. Lamp is misplaced, 3. Rug is misplaced, 4. Chair is misplaced, 5. Chair is misplaced, 6. Chair is misplaced, 7. Chair is misplaced, 8. Chair is misplaced, 9. Chair is misplaced, 10. Chair is misplaced, 11. Chair is misplaced, 12. Chair is misplaced, 13. Chair is misplaced, 14. Chair is misplaced, 15. Chair is misplaced.

Nurses Examination Results Announced

The Registered Nurses' Association of B.C. today released a full list of nurses who have satisfactorily met examination requirements after training in B.C. hospitals.

The registration examinations were held January 18 and 19. Here's the list in alphabetical order:

Abel, Joan Marilyn, Vancouver; Adams, Ellen, Phyllis, Summerland; Adair, Elizabeth Jeanne, Kimberley; Agat, Aline Jeanette, New Westminster; Agnew, Madeline Lucy, Vancouver; Aiken, Roberta Jean, Chilliwack; Alexander, Joan Elizabeth, Vancouver; Alexander, Shirley, Vancouver; Altmann, June Dorcas, New Westminster; Atkinson, Elizabeth Jo, Haida.

Oak Bay 'St. Paul' Stirs Crowd

By AUDREY S.D. JOHNSON

"St. Paul," earlier of Mendelsohn's two completed oratorios, drew a capacity audience to Oak Bay United Church Friday evening, when it was performed by the choir, directed by Mrs. Vera Barclay, with soloists: Margaret Christison, Marion Mitchell, Dudley Wickett and Harry Johns.

Not performed often enough to be as familiar as the same composer's "Elijah" or the perennial "Messiah," it is nevertheless a stirring, dramatic work, containing many fine choruses and recitatives. It relates the story of Saul, from the time of the martyrdom of Stephen, the journey to Damascus, the blinding and conversion of Saul by the voice of God, and his subsequent acts of faith as Paul.

DRAMATIC DIGNITY

Dr. Johns, singing the baritone role of St. Paul, endowed it with a simple and striking dignity and a humanity that did much to enhance the dramatic values of the work. His fine, mellow notes and musically style were notable in the arias, "O God Have Mercy," "For Know Ye Not?" and "But Our God Abideth in Heaven."

The best known aria is "Jerusalem." This, and the lovely recitative and arioso, "I Will Sing of Thy Great Mercies," were movingly sung by Mrs. Christison, a mezzo soprano of good range and having warm, strong and well-rounded tones. Mr. Wickett was thoroughly at home with some of the finest recitatives in the oratorio, notably the touching, "Men, Brethren and Fathers," and the cavatina, "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death." His eloquent handling of these and other stirring passages, and the lyric qualities of his voice, were, as always, most satisfying. A small contralto part was pleasingly sung by Miss Mitchell, a member of the choir.

SENSITIVITY

The choir revealed sensitivity to Mrs. Barclay's authoritative beat, security in attack and considerable spirit, particularly in the chorus, "Rise! Up! Arise!" and the finale. The soprano section rewarded her with some lovely passages of delicate texture and graceful shape, and generally there was a commendable restraint, with no inclination toward forced tone and stridency in climaxes. The choir's part was, in fact, a considerable achievement.

A highlight of the production was the chorus, "How Lovely Are the Messengers." Another was the brief duet sung by Dr. Johns and Mr. Wickett.

A fine accompaniment on the organ was provided by James Saunders.

Solarium Children's Hospital Needs \$480 a Day to Operate

By AB KENT

Queen Alexandra Solarium, the only crippled children's hospital in B.C. fully equipped to treat rheumatic fever, needs at least \$480 a day to operate.

This amounts to a lot of money, especially when it is considered the cost is perpetual as long as the hospital remains open.

Of this total less than half is contributed by the provincial government—the rest comes through public contribution. At present the Solarium Junior League is conducting its annual Shower of Dimes campaign to raise \$30,000 for hospital operation during the next 12 months. This sum is additional to the thousands of dollars donated through private subscription, much of which goes into a building fund.

A total of \$11,754.95 has been collected through Shower of Dimes contributions so far in

the campaign. It is up to the public to continue its support for the rest.

Statistics show that rheumatic fever kills more children than any other ailment, excepting accidents, and ranks with TB as a great disabling, chronic disease.

Early school age children, largely between five and 10 years, are most susceptible to the virus rheumatic fever, which often leaves rheumatic heart disease in its wake.

LENGTHY TREATMENT

It is virtually important that the heart be protected from unnecessary work as long as the disease is active and during the convalescence, which often amounts to months or years.

The only effective treatment is controlled rest in bed under good medical and nursing supervision, which unfortunately, is apt to cause neurotic tendencies in children accustomed to activity.

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Bright and Quick? It's the Climate

British Columbia is blessed with an "energizing climate," Dr. A. John Nelson, consultant in epidemiology, Provincial Department of Health, told the Eighth B.C. Natural Resources Conference Friday.

Because of the climate, British Columbians experience "active cellular combustion," which brings about "a higher vitality so that the individual and population as a whole can realize their full potentialities."

But the blessing of the energizing climate is not unmixed. Dr. Nelson conceded. Too active a pace of life, he said, may lead to degenerative and breakdown types of disease which affect both body and mind.

While acknowledging a great deal of study remained to be done in establishing the exact relationship between the well-being of man and his climatic environment, Dr. Nelson said the link between the two, discussed by Hippocrates in the fifth century before Christ, had been definitely established by recent scientific investigations.

Climate, he said, was the factor which determined how much difficulty man had in getting rid of the body's waste heat. Where tissue combustion was slow, he said, man showed slower growth, retarded development, reduced fertility, lessened resistance to infection and less energy for thought and action.

Conversely: "Under conditions where a satisfactory pace of heat loss prevails, growth is most rapid, development of sex

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Indifference To Sewers Draws Fire

The public isn't consistent, in the opinion of Dr. A. John Nelson, of the provincial health department.

Dr. Nelson, speaking Friday to the B.C. Natural Resources Conference, observed that while the public insisted on an adequate supply of pure water for household use, it is not so concerned with what happened to sewage.

"One cannot help but be amazed at the reluctance shown towards projects involving the expenditure of funds for the treatment of sewage," he said. "Apparently a great many people are quite satisfied so long as they have flush toilets and removal of sewage from their own homes. It matters little if their untreated sewage ends up in their oysters or on their bathing beaches."

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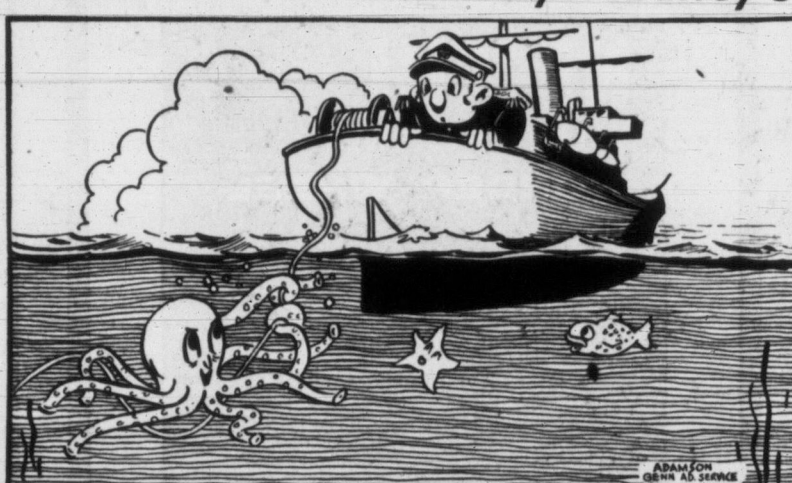
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BOOK TALK

By JAMES SCOTT



The latest play from the pen of prolific Robertson Davies, "A Jig for the Gypsy," has just been published. Unlike Mr. Davies' other plays, this one leaves Canada strictly alone and is set in Wales which, one suspects, is probably the author's real native land at that.

At any rate, "A Jig for the Gypsy" is undoubtedly the most technically accomplished drama which Mr. Davies has written thus far. Even in the days when he was sticking to one-act trifles, Mr. Davies had a remarkable flair for getting his themes mixed up. This he brought to a point of fine perfection when he branched out into three-act length. "But 'In a Jig for the Gypsy' has com-

plete control of what he wants to say and he presents it in a nice, trim form which will play well in any competent hands. As a matter of fact, I saw the premiere of this play at Toronto's Crest Theatre last fall and can report that in the hands of two other Davis boys—Donald and Murray, to say nothing of their sister Barbara—it was a very satisfactory evening in the theatre.

Mixing Politics, Romance

With a broad feeling for comedy, Mr. Davies is attempting to illustrate in this play that politics and romance can and do mix. He bases the action—which is genuinely funny—on two Welsh characteristics: superstition and hard-headedness.

A sturdy Welsh local politician realistically decides that if one of the local fortune-tellers predicts that his candidate will win, many a vote will be swayed in that direction. He finds a suitable seer to read the desired fortune and accomplishes what he wanted. However, the fortune-teller does not fare so well since the op-

position forces do not take kindly to her prophecies.

This simple yarn is unfolded with a nicety of humor, a good deal of suspense and plenty of warmth for the people involved. The play is quite free of the mixed-up didacticism which seems to plague all of Mr. Davies' writing whenever he starts going on about Canada. All one can conclude from this extremely happy performance is that Mr. Davies really ought to stick to the land of his fathers rather than the land of his birth for his material. There is no doubt that under such circumstances he is a first-rate writer. It is rather a pity he is so inhibited and self-conscious about his native land.

Teaching History to Young

In the juvenile front, there are two rather unusual events this week. The first is the news that Miss Eva-Lis Wuorio has just published a book for children called "Return of the Viking." If anybody had asked me to name the Canadian writer least likely to write for children I might well have named Eva-Lis. On the other hand, if I were asked to name the Canadian writer most likely to surprise me, I might well have called Miss Wuorio too. International in her outlook (at present she is living at

Ibiza in the Balearic Islands) Eva-Lis is one of the most versatile writers this country has ever seen. She also has a nice flair for unusual presentation and I suspect that "Return of the Viking" will exemplify this characteristic. As I understand it, the story is of about 20-century children who meet such founders of Canada as Leif Ericson, Louis Hebert, Samuel de Champlain and Prince Rupert of Bohemia. Maybe this is the long-sought-after way of teaching history to the young.

Posthumous St. Roche Story

Another contribution to juvenile writing in Canada is likely to be made posthumously. Late sergeant of the RCMP, Ted Farrar, left an almost-completed MS behind when he died suddenly of a heart attack in Ottawa a couple of weeks ago. It was to be a story for young readers based on his experiences on the RCMP schooner, St. Roche, which it made the first west-east voyage through the Northwest Passage. A publisher had already seen

the first chapters before Sergeant Farrar's death and I understand arrangements are being made to complete the story for fall publication. If my memory serves me well, this famous voyage of the St. Roche has already provided the theme for a book which was published a few years back. Joy Tranter, now living in Vancouver, did a book about the trip under the command of Sergeant Larsen, also of the RCMP, in a stirring tale called "Plowing the Arctic."

THE STAMP CORNER

By REG NAIRNE

The new set for Cyprus, with the Queen's portrait, will show a change in currency as well. For the values will be expressed in mills instead of piastres, as at present. The pound will be divided into 1000 mills, and so will conform with the currencies of the near-by countries of Egypt, Libya, Tripolitania, Cyrenaica, and Fezzan. All these countries have their money tied to the British pound, their exchange value being approximately the same. (Israel also has its pound or shekel, divided into 1000 pruta, which originally was comparable to sterling, but the exchange rate has since dropped from \$2.80 to \$1 or less.

AFTER TWENTY MONTHS Some time ago Egypt was mentioned in this column as a country with apparently no efficient service for collectors. As an example, a dealer who sent a remittance of \$90 in June 1953—twenty months ago—only received the stamps he ordered last week! Before get-

ting even this belated service it was necessary to write to the Canadian Trade Commissioner at Cairo, twice to the postmaster, twice to the Egyptian Consul at Ottawa, and finally a letter to the Dept. of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa! The joke of it was that the stamps must have been set aside for mailing as soon as the remittance was received, for they were of a series which has been obsolete for nearly two years! They arrived in a battered envelope which had to be repaired at Montreal before it was fit for forwarding. The recipient, however, considered himself lucky to get them at all!



WILDLIFE STAMPS — These two stamps depicting two Canadian rarities, will be issued by the post office department during National Wildlife Week April 4-11. The four-cent (top) shows the head of the one-plentiful musk-ox, now reduced to about 10,000 in the far north. Only 21 of the whooping cranes depicted on the five-cent stamp have been counted in recent years—CP photo.

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ART in REVIEW

By COLIN GRAHAM



For an official document our National Gallery's latest annual report, just issued, is a thing of absorbing interest. Its contents will be of concern to every Canadian anxious to see the nation achieve fullness of mind as well as of stomach.

Writing with greater urgency than ever before, the gallery's trustees put up the encouragingly critical situation in which that institution now finds itself. The crux of the matter is that demand for the gallery's services has wildly outrun its capacity.

CLAMORING FOR SERVICES From east to west across Canada regional galleries, large and small, are clamoring for the co-operation and services which, given our national geography, only a large central federal gallery can provide, while requests for showings of Canadian work abroad both from and through the department of external affairs have quite outstripped the gallery's exporting facilities.

This is simply a consequence of the country's cultural coming of age. Since the present gallery building, recognized as temporary and inadequate 40 years ago, has become ludicrously insufficient, we have come to a point where full-fledged gallery is imperative.

It only remains for parliament to vote sums for the erection of the projected new gallery, a fine design for which was reached in a national competition last year. The completion of that building unquestionably will inaugurate a new era in the mental life of the nation.

RECEPTIVE TO NEEDS That parliament is now receptive to the nation's needs in this sphere was hearteningly apparent last year when it

voted the unprecedented sum of \$490,000 for the purchase by the nation of some superb masterworks from the collection of the Princes of Liechtenstein. As a result Canada acquired several pieces, such as the Gozzoli "Virgin and Child" shown above, which any nation would be glad to own. These, added to the Rembrandt and the two Filippino Lippi panels bought the year before, bring the gallery's permanent collection to a point where it now has a respectable nucleus around which there should accumulate, in time, a collection worthy of Canada's position in the world. We can rest assured that if parliament so obviously alive to the nation's growing cultural appetites will not quibble when it comes to the building of a proper gallery.

Resources Secondary Says Explorer

SEVENTH CONTINENT by Arthur Scholes, British Book Centre, Montreal.

Australian author and explorer Arthur Scholes minimizes the value of Antarctica as a source for economic and mineral wealth, but indicates that already it has assumed a strategic value in the world.

In "Seventh Continent" he also pays tribute to the part Australians played in Antarctic exploration.

"Except for scientific research and its values to weather stations there is nothing to be gained from Antarctica which cannot be more easily acquired in other parts of the world," he said.

Scholes admitted that vast coal deposits have been found on the continent, but added "as long as there are 2,000 miles of storm-tossed ice-strewn seas between Antarctica and Australia, of what use can any mineral or economic wealth be?"

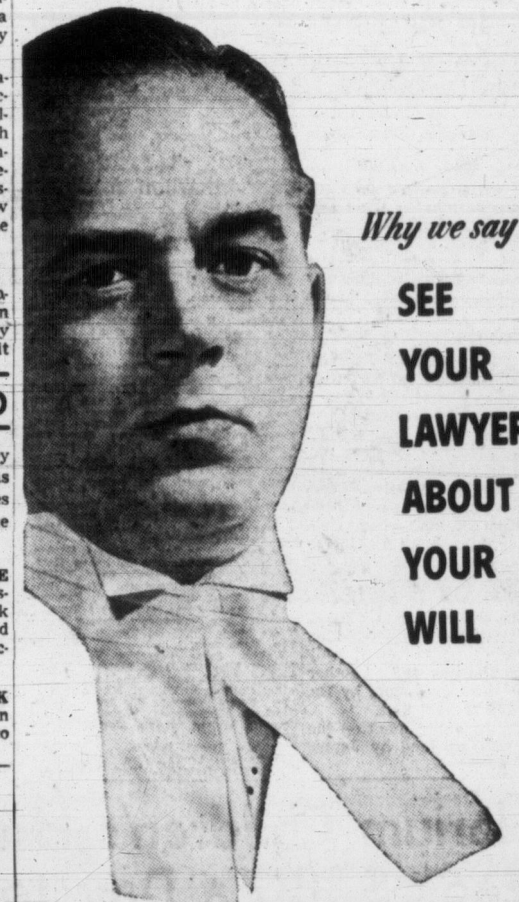
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"Mark Trail's Book of North American Mammals" by Ed Dodd, published by Hawthorn Books, New York, is a useful picture handbook of 250 picture pages, serving as both a field guide and a book for home reading. Ed Dodd is the creator of the nationally syndicated comic strip, "Mark Trail," and is an authority on the outdoors. It appears every week in Saturday's Victoria Times.

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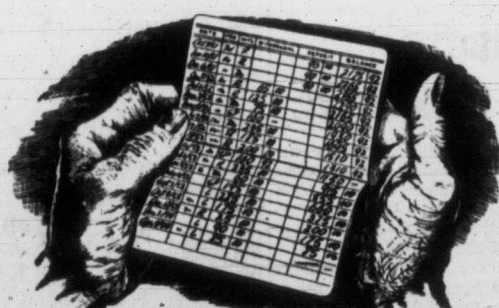
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AUDREY TELLS

How Musical Festival Won Place as 'Nine Day Wonder'

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

Three events loom in the offing at the moment, which it strikes me, warrant the close attention of official Victoria and enthusiastic public support with emphasis on those to whom the intellectual and moral well-being of children means anything.

I refer particularly to the Greater Victoria Schools Drama Festival which opens on March 7, and the Victoria Musical Festival following closely, from March 16 to 25.

The third event is the Jury Show scheduled to open at the Arts Centre, March 1.

There are grounds for justifiable pride in all three, representing as they do, the vision, hard work, persistence and achievement of entirely voluntary groups of our fellow citizens.

GAINING PRESTIGE
For example, the music festival, totally without benefit of subsidy or sponsorship, such as is enjoyed for instance, by Vancouver and Winnipeg festivals, the Victoria Musical Festival has inched ahead, year by year, gaining in prestige and scope all the while.

It has surmounted rival attractions, lack of faith demonstrated by those who should know better and, most inexplicable of all, a staggering display of apathy on the part of parents in certain school classes.

I recall, for instance, the afternoon of a bands and orchestra competition when some of the city's really fine instrumental groups were scheduled to appear. Believe it or not, there were not more than a half-dozen people in the hall that afternoon.

Nevertheless, from a three-day event to begin with festival has become a nine-day wonder

in truth! Hundreds of children take part, imbibe knowledge, are stimulated by the atmosphere of "doing" in company with others.

And while the more undesirable aspects of competition are played down, a steadily lengthening series of bursaries and scholarships is available to deserving and earnest students.

APPRECIATION COURSE
From the adult point of view the festival provides scope for comparison, self-examination, possibly some clue as to a musical future or even the first step onto the ladder of success. For the public, the opportunity of hearing experts analyze and constructively criticize performances, is as fine a musical appreciation course as one is ever likely to get for the outlay on an admission or a membership ticket.

Now in its fifteenth year, the schools drama festival has not had the difficulties experienced by its opposite number. Sponsored in the beginning by the School and Community Drama Branch of the Department of Education, it has been consistently profitable.

Profits are divided with the participating schools and form scholarship funds to send out-standing talented boys and girls in secondary school entries to Banff School of Fine Arts, or UBC summer schools of theatre. The result again has been excellent. A steady growth is recorded with this year's festival bursting at the seams and threatening to boil over into extra days beyond the week.

WELL WORTH THE TROUBLE

What the youngsters gain in poise and knowledge from this effort, however, is obviously well worth time and trouble expended by Greater Victoria teachers who manage every detail of the festival. And a smooth and well-run event it is!

A Vancouver Island artists' jury prejudged show at Arts Centre, Moss Street, will be open to the public, Tuesday.

Some excellent work has been received and a satisfying and interesting salon is assured. But once again, it is only because of a handful of men and women willingly expending hundreds of hours of time and donating funds, that artists of this Island are enabled to have such a showing of their work. Which is only one aspect of the many services the Arts Centre provides.

OFFICIAL IGNORANCE

There is no need to recapitulate here, the shameful history of official prejudice and ignorance which has hindered the development in our community, of a so necessary and immeasurably valuable organization.

The fact that it has survived, thanks to the generosity, intelligence and foresight of individual citizens, only points up official stupidity and ineptness. The Arts Centre, the festivals, and all other organizations that continue to scale barriers and put up a fight because they know that what they are fighting for is worth while, have earned the humble thanks and the pride of all citizens.

In the next few weeks we all have the privilege of showing our pride and gratitude. Let's not miss the opportunity this time!



DENISE MARA
H. D. Knight Photo.

In Recital at Arts Centre

Denise Mara, a well-known British Columbia pianist and former Victorian, now living in Vancouver, will be presented in recital on Wednesday at the Arts Centre, by the Victoria Alumni Chapter of the Royal Conservatory of Music (Toronto).

Miss Mara has made two solo appearances with the Victoria Symphony and one with the Vancouver Symphony and has also given recitals at the Summer School of Education in Victoria and Vancouver and appeared as guest soloist with the Vancouver Women's Musical Club. She is a pupil of Jan Chervinsky and plans to leave for Europe shortly to continue her studies. She will play a program including Haydn, Bach, Grieg, Debussy and Chopin.

ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

Tonight, at 8:15: B.C. Electric Glee Club and assisting artists, First Baptist Church. Tickets at Victoria Music Centre.

Sunday, February 27, at 3 p.m. and Monday, February 28, at 8:30: Victoria Symphony Orchestra, Royal Theatre.

Tuesday, March 1, at 8:30: Stanley Martin, baritone, in recital at Metropolitan United Church. Assisted by Grace Timp and Peter Hodgson. Proceeds to Stanley Martin scholarship fund.

Wednesday, March 2, at 2:30: Denise Mara, pianist, in recital, Arts Centre, Moss Street. Auspices Victoria Chapter, Royal Conservatory of Music (Toronto) Alumni.

Friday and Saturday, March 4 and 5, at 8:15: Three one-act plays presented by Married Couples' Club of Oak Bay United Church, under direction of Mrs. F. D. Mulholland, Church Hall, Granite Street.

Monday, March 5 to Saturday, March 12: Greater Victoria Schools Drama Festival. Matinee and evening sessions at various schools. Peter Manning, adjudicator.

Wednesday, March 23, at 8:30: Victoria Musical Art Society presents the annual talented students recital. Sirocco.

Sunday, March 27, at 3 p.m. and Monday, March 28, at 8:30: Esther Glazer, violinist, with Victoria Symphony Orchestra, Royal Theatre.

Film Wife Roles Win Popularity

In her last six pictures, June Allyson has portrayed wives, and she believes this was a big factor in her being named America's most popular star of 1954 by the nation's theatre men.

"People seem to like an actress who plays the understanding, sympathetic spouse," she said. "I like being the wife in movies because it's so easy I get so much experience off the screen."

Freckle-faced June is the wife of actor-director Dick Powell—and they are among Hollywood's happiest couples. The fact that Mrs. Powell has been the wife of so many other men—in pictures—doesn't bother her own husband a bit.

THOUSAND SUPERSTITIONS

Theatrical Field Proves Rich Source for Collector

An actor and his superstitions would not be a very original topic, but Gene Barry has improved on it. He's an actor who collects other actors' superstitions.

Eventually Barry hopes to publish an anthology of theatrical superstitions. Barry's sources are chiefly books written on the theatre, its personnel and allied subjects. However, he has gained much data through written and personal contact with show business people of all ages.

Hollywood, Barry said, is an extremely fertile field for superstitions, even if most of those in the industry would deny vehemently that Barry includes them in his basis for such a statement.

The actor hopes that his finished work may become a text and a source book in itself. He feels that show business needs such a book of curiosities, and his own collection now numbers more than 1,000 superstitions.

CROSSED FINGERS
Barry was prevailed upon to cite some instances from his proposed anthology, pointing out that his action really constituted a sneak preview.

One superstition, he said, was held by John Wilkes Booth, who assassinated President Abraham Lincoln. His idea was that he would give a good performance if he turned his back on an audience and munched peppermint candy.

Aristophanes, the Greek dramatist, would prod a handy slave with a sharp stick when he became discouraged over a scene.

"This is comparable to comedians and stoooges today," Barry noted.

James K. Hackett, famed Shakespearean actor, banged on the curtain just before it was to go up. He figured it attracted the audience's attention.

Lily Langtry delayed so many performances by stopping to pet cats she saw near the theatre that children frequently were hired to clear the area of all felines before her arrival. Weber and Fields wouldn't speak to each other for 30 minutes before a performance.

Barry has been too close to superstitions to have one, he explained. "But I've got my fingers crossed till I find a publisher," he added.



SIGNS MGM CONTRACT

William Sage, 30, of London, Ont., has signed long-term motion picture contract with MGM in Hollywood. In nine years of professional credits, Sage has acted in summer stock, repertory, with road companies, New York stage, radio and television. In first Hollywood motion picture role he portrayed part of cold-blooded shot-gun killer in "Dragnet" (CP photo.)

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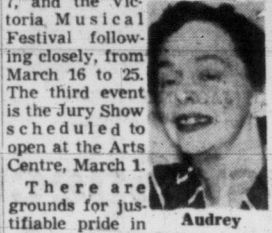
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For example, the music festival, totally without benefit of subsidy or sponsorship, such as is enjoyed for instance, by Vancouver and Winnipeg festivals, the Victoria Musical Festival has inched ahead, year by year, gaining in prestige and scope all the while.

It has surmounted rival attractions, lack of faith demonstrated by those who should know better and, most inexplicable of all, a staggering display of apathy on the part of parents in certain school classes.

I recall, for instance, the afternoon of a bands and orchestra competition when some of the city's really fine instrumental groups were scheduled to appear. Believe it or not, there were not more than a half-dozen people in the hall that afternoon.

Nevertheless, from a three-day event to begin with festival has become a nine-day wonder

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Orphans Bow Out Of Finals

Clark, Pederson Great in Defeat

Alberni 65, Victoria 62

By DENNY BOYD

The homeless, penniless, manpowerless Victoria Orphans came to the end of the toughest road ever traveled by a senior A men's basketball team Friday night when they were beaten 65-62 by Alberni Athletics in the third and final game of the Vancouver Island title series.

Owning only the uniforms on their backs (paid for by their manager) and up to their eyeballs in debt, Orphans nevertheless went down fighting and it was ironic indeed that the game, the last of the season, was played before the largest crowd of the season.

Dressing only seven players for the game, Orphans couldn't keep up to the pace set by the tall, speedy and financially content Alberni club, which defended its Island title in straight games.

Orphans had a one-point lead at the half and they were ahead with five minutes left in the game. But lack of reserves hit them at the most critical time, three of the players going the full route.

STILL QUITTING
Big John Clark, who has been holding local clubs together for five years, reiterated after the game that this was his last season. He said simply, "There's nothing left any more."

Clark bowed out in great fashion, hanging up 26 points to lead all the scorers. While one star bowed out, another gave notice that he has grown into a full-fledged star. Rookie Ed Pederson, checking Alberni's rugged Ron Bissett, turned in a tremendous display of defensive rebounding, clearing his own backboard time after time to stall the fury of Alberni's fast break. While Pederson scored only five points, he was worth his weight in solid gold just for his rebounding.

BIG MAN
Bissett, immovable under the basket and uncanny from the foul strip, was the power of the Alberni club, scoring 22 points.

Jumping Joe Samarin scored 14 valuable points, most of them on close-in jump shots, and Doug Brinkman picked up a lot of rebounds for Alberni and scored the clinching basket with one of his patented jump shots.

Clark, Pederson, George Denison and Gordy Jones were the best for the Victoria club. Most of the nerve-racking excitement came in the last three minutes, when Alberni was nursing a 59-58 lead.

Jones missed a breakaway play-up and Harry Kernode dumped one in for Alberni to make it 61-58. Denison canned a long one-hander to cut the margin to one point, but Johnny Groholski converted two free throws and Brinkman got the clinching basket. With five seconds left, Clark got his last basket of the game but the clock ran out.

Today, there was dancing in the streets of Alberni. But in Victoria, it was doubtful if there would be a senior men's club next year.

Line-ups follow:
Alberni Athletics—Bissett 22, Brinkman 14, Groholski 10, Denison 14, Kernode 4, Kootenick 2, Vetch 1, Total—65.
Victoria Orphans—Jones 9, Hendry, Parker 3, Denison 10, Pederson 5, Clark 26, Total—62.
Joe Samarin—Dave Green 10, Phil Clark 2, Bob Stokes 1, John Hicks 2, Total—15.
First United—Barry Sadtler, Jack May 5, Dave Nelson 25, Bob Chapman 2, Dave Black 9, Bruce Mason 1, John Bullock 1, Total—41.

Unbeaten Rinks Meet In Alberni Bonspiel

Four rinks remained undefeated Friday in the third annual Alberni Valley Curling Club bonspiel.

Rinks skippered by Reg Laver and Jim Sled of the Alberni Club, Chris Christopherson of Vancouver and Ray Ottem of Kamloops scored victories to retain their unbeaten status in two events were reached.

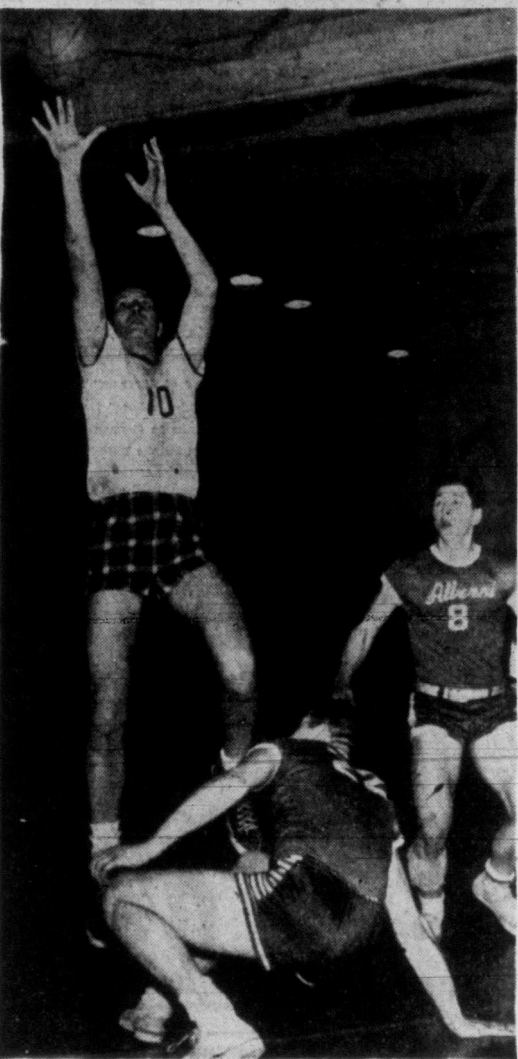
In feature matches today, Christopherson was scheduled to meet Ottem, while Laver went against once-defeated Jack Coates of Parksville. Sled was matched against the tough Larry Marshall rink of Duncan.

Friday results follow:

COLONIST TROPHY
Burns (PA) 10, Wood (PA) 8.
Hunt (PA) 11, Harper (Dun.) 4.
Price (PA) 11, Woodward Stores (PA) 2.
Laver (PA) 11, Woodward (Dun.) 10.
Arthur (PA) 8, Burns (Dun.) 4.
Cummings (PA) 10, Hedman (PA) 9.
Schro (Nan.) 9, Watson (PA) 4.
Stratton (PA) 13, O'Brien (PA) 2.
Christopherson (Van.) 11, Fuller (Okan.) 5.
Ried (PA) 11, Dunn (Nan.) 5.
Graves (Comox) 7, Dunstan (Vic.) 2.
Brown (Van.) 10, Wilson (Comox) 3.
Marshall (Dun.) 9, McKenna (PA) 6.
Tang (Vic.) 11, Arthur (PA) 4.
Cullen (Kamloops) 3, Tait (Vic.) 5.
Laver (PA) 8, Schro (Dun.) 5.
Burns (PA) 7, Ritzler (PA) 5.
Hunt (PA) 12, Price (PA) 12.
Coates (Park.) 13, Cummings (PA) 8.
Marshall (Dun.) 9, Ried (PA) 2.
Sled (PA) 8, Brown (Van.) 5.
Christopherson (Van.) 7, Graves (Comox) 4.
ELTON TROPHY
Hobbs (Qual.) 9, Miller (PA) 1.
Pickup (PA) 12, Sloan (PA) 6.
O'Brien (PA) 11, McKenna (PA) 5.

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Big John Hoops Another

Mr. Basketball himself, big John Clark, was up to his usual form Friday night at S. J. Willis Junior High School as he hooped 26 points. However, Victoria Orphans lost their third-straight Vancouver Island playoff game to Alberni Athletics as the Up-Island team walked off with the title. Here, Clark (10), casts off shot after futile check by Alberni's Ron Bissett (22), while John Kootenick (8) moves in too late. (Times Photo by Strickland.)

ELIERS POUR IT ON

Kins Walloped in B.C. Hoop Opener

Vancouver 63, Victoria 27

It will be a rough and rocky road for Victoria's Vic-Van-Isle Kins senior women's basketball team if they are to duplicate last year's feat of winning the British Columbia championship.

Kins opened a best-of-three series against Vancouver Eliders for the provincial title Friday night in Vancouver and came out on the short end of a 63-27 count.

Second game of the series is scheduled for tonight, with the third, if necessary, Monday night. All games are at Vancouver.

Eliders, Canada's representative at the Pan-American Games, ran up a 10-7 first-quarter lead and were never forced to look back.

ALWAYS AHEAD
The Canadian champions led, 24-12 at half-time, were out front, 37-22, going into the final session and then poured 26 points through the hoop while

Eliders hit on 39 per cent of their field goals and cashed in on 25 of 40 tries from the free shot line. Kins could manage only 16 per cent on field goals and hit the hoop in 13 of 27 free shots.

Both clubs appeared to be stricken with playoff jitters in the first quarter. Eliders settled down to a fast attack, while Kins never did realize their potential.

Line-ups follow:
Eliders—Mitchell 4, Miller 1, N. McDermott 18, L. McDermott 9, Robinson 8, Walker 4, McDonald 4, Smithers 4, Slater 4, Topley 4, Total 63.
Kins—Boyd 5, Mason 4, Pickering 4, Donaldson 2, Pettigrew, Lewis 3, Metcalfe 1, Kennedy, Yettan 3, Ross, Total 27.

NIELSEN GOES HOME

NEW YORK (AP)—Dan Feris, secretary of the National AAU, said Friday Gunnar Nielsen, Danish miler, is going home next Wednesday because he has exhausted the competitive time allowed him in this country under international amateur athletic rules.

BLIND CHARLIE BOSWELL DIDN'T MISS

By JIM PEACOCK Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO (CP)—A swing and a miss might have changed a life story from one of success to one of a broken man. But Charlie Boswell did not miss.

"On my first swing, I hit the ball," Charlie said. "It was a good hit and it felt wonderful. I was ready to go then."

Boswell was recalling his introduction to golf at a trying time when he was bitter about a war, a war that took from

Crushing Triumph Over Yanks Primes V's for 'Key' Match

Warwicks Pace Victory; Take on Czechs Today

By ARCH MACKENZIE, Canadian Press Staff Writer

DUESSELDORF, Germany (CP)—"This is the big one," was the Canadian chant today as Penticton V's, jubilant after a brilliant first-night performance, prepared to play speedy Czechoslovakia in what may well be the key game of the 21st world hockey tournament.

The Canadians faced the United States 12-1 at Dortmund Friday night in one of the four opening games in the nine-country tournament which ends March 6, and the way they did it left 6,000 spectators convinced that the team from the British Columbia fruit belt is good enough to take the title back to Canada.

Hard-hitting Bill Warwick scored six goals as he and his two brothers tore the American defense to shreds. Canada had been expected to beat the Americans, but not by nearly so crushing a score.

"This is the best club I've seen play in a world championship," said American coach Al Yourkewicz of St. Paul, Minn. "If they keep their heads and play the way they played against us, they'll beat the Czechs by a wide margin."

The Canada-Czechoslovak af-

fair is at Duesseldorf, in an open-air rink flanked by covered stands. The same teams tied 3-3 in a rough exhibition match in Prague Sunday.

Originally the Canadian-Russia clash on the closing day of the tournament was expected to be the crucial game, but Friday night Russia was held to a 10-2 victory over a weak Finnish team while the Czechs blanked Switzerland 7-0.

Now many hockey students figure the Czechs may be tougher for Canada than Russia, which won the title at Stockholm last year in its first crack at world honors.

In other second-round games, Russia plays Sweden at Dortmund, Germany is drawn against Poland at Krefeld and the United States takes on Finland at Cologne.

Sweden beat Germany 5-4 Friday night.

Ice Size Pleases Grant

The Canadians are confident they can handle the Czechs in a second meeting. Playing coach Grant Warwick noted at Prague the ice was about 30 feet longer and 20 feet wider than the Canadians were used to at home and in the beginning it cramped their style.

But at Duesseldorf's Eisstadion the ice is 170 feet long, much shorter than what the Czechs are accustomed to. Warwick feels this should be to the Canadians' advantage.

The Czechs all are veterans of international competition. Their captain is Vladimir Zabrodsky who along with Wimbledon tennis champion Jaroslav

Only Two Penalties Called

Only two penalties were handed out by the Swiss referees, both minors. Defenseman Kevin Conway of the V's was sent off in the first period for boarding and in the second period defenseman Jack Croft of Melrose, Mass., drew two minutes for tripping.

W. G. Baldy George, president of Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, said he was "pretty pleased" at the result. He termed the game "exceptionally good, clean and fast."

The helmeted Warwicks fig-

ured in eight of the 12 Penticton goals. Bill scored in the first period, added two more in the second and wound up a tremendous performance with three consecutive goals in the last 10 minutes of play. Jack McIntyre and Doug Kilburn each tallied twice and Jim Fairburn and Hal Tarala once each.

Grant Warwick assisted on two of Bill's goals and Dick Warwick set up another. Grant also had a hand in goals by Kilburn and Tarala.

Replacements for V's Advised to Bide Time

KELOWNA, B.C. (BUP)—Two reinforcements originally scheduled to join the Penticton V's in Europe were advised early today to stay in Canada "pending advisement" from the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

John Dawes of the New Westminster Royals of the Western Hockey League and Jim Middleton, forward for the Kelowna Packers of the Okanagan League, had been ready to fly

to Europe to join Canada's representatives at the world hockey championships, who were short-handed due to illness.

Dr. M. J. Butler, president of the British Columbia Athletic Association, said W. B. (Baldy) George, president of the CAHA, told him to delay the departure of Dawes and Middleton "pending further advisement."

Butler said he believed George probably would wait to see how the Canadians fared against the Czech team in their game today before making a definite decision.

Penticton team Friday trounced the United States, 12-1, in the first game of the world championships despite the loss of Ed Kassian and Dino Mascotti. Both were out of the lineup because of an attack of influenza.

Ellis ran his string of nine-hole 36s to four while Jimmy Demaret, the 18-hole leader, was having putting troubles.

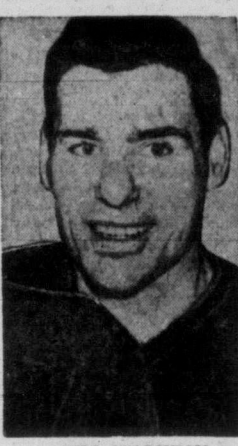
Friday's 34-34-68 on the 7,200-yard par 35-36-72 Memorial Park course gave Ellis an eight-under par 136 at the halfway mark. It left him one stroke ahead of Demaret, Ed Furgol, the National Open champion from St. Louis, and Ed Carpenter, a 30-year-old unattached pro from San Antonio.

Demaret, whose putter blazed away for a 66 Thursday, missed nine birdie putts of less than 10 feet Friday and put a 71 with his first-round 66 for a 137.

"This rehabilitation worker insisted," Boswell said in an interview here during the recent sports celebrity dinner, which he attended as a guest. "And I finally gave in."

Boswell learned the fundamentals of golf. Then, after several days, the worker said it was time to hit a ball. "I'm afraid to think of what might have happened if I'd missed," said Charlie. "I'd probably have thrown those clubs far into the woods and quit everything right there."

Now, at 38, Boswell is thankful he didn't miss. Golf



BILL WARWICK ... six goals



JACK MCINTYRE ... two goals



JIM FAIRBURN ... one goal

Goalie Just Spectator In Penticton Cakewalk

By SID GODBER Editor, Penticton Herald Written for British United Press

DORTMUND, Germany (BUP)—The loneliest man in Dortmund's new arena Friday was Ivan McClelland, Penticton V's goalie, who played a "spectator's role" as his teammates romped to a 12-1 victory over the United States.

It was an auspicious debut for the V's in the world hockey tournament in which they are the hopes of the free world to wrest the world title from the Russians.

Uncle Sam's team, despite a recent string of victories in Europe, proved no match for

the V's, who, despite the high score, played at less than half throttle and hardly worked up a sweat.

Those who had been wondering whether Canadian hockey was surrendering the art of stick-handling and passing to "hugger on ice" as one of the Communist papers said of the V's at Prague, were answered with the most dazzling display of stick-handling and combinations ever witnessed in this stadium in the heart of the Ruhr.

American goalie Don Rigazio was faked silly by the V's tricky stick handling and in his future nightmares will re-

member Warwick who scored six of the Canadians' 12 goals.

Playing coach Grant Warwick said after the game: "Those American boys put up a good fight but they did not seem to be able to comprehend our style of playing. I am satisfied with the team and the game should have sharpened all of us for what I believe will be one of the key games in the series when we meet Czechoslovakia."

Asked about the refereeing, Warwick said, "We were all very happy with the decisions and if we are to get that kind of refereeing throughout the series, there will be nothing to grumble at."

HOCKEY STANDINGS

Canada	W	L	T	Pts
Russia	1	0	0	2
Czechs	1	0	0	2
Sweden	1	0	0	2
Germany	0	1	0	0
Finland	0	1	0	0
United States	0	1	0	0
Switzerland	0	1	0	0
Poland	0	1	0	0

ISLAND PUCK FINAL OPENS AT NANAIMO

Vancouver Island Amateur Hockey League best-of-five final opens tonight at Nanaimo, with Nanaimo Clippers hosting C & C Taxi of Victoria in the curtain-raiser.

Second game of the series is set for Memorial Arena Monday night, starting at 8:45. Teams will play regulation 20-minute periods, with stoppage of the clock for faceoffs and time outs.

Preliminary game Monday will see Victoria juvenile all-stars meet the Mainland champions in the first game of a two-game, total-goal, Pacific Coast championship series.

Elks Avoid Elimination

KAMLOOPS (BUP)—The Kamloops Elks scored three goals in the third period Friday night to force a 3-3 tie with the Vernon Canadians in an Okanagan League playoff game which was called after a scoreless overtime period.

The Canadians now lead the series 3-0, with one game tied. Kamloops moves to Vernon for the fifth game in the series tonight.

Vernon's Odie Lowe, Nick Roche and McCullough scored in the first period to push into an early 3-0 lead over the Elks.

However, Dave Duke, playing coach Phil Hergeshelmer and Taggard notched goals in the third period to put the teams on even ground.

Sports Menu

TONIGHT
WEL ROCKY
Victoria Cougars at New Westminster, Vancouver Canucks at Calgary, Edmonton Oilers at Vancouver, Seattle Seahawks at Portland.
11:30—Sanitation Community Hall, 1201 First St., Nanaimo, juvenile girls.
EXHIBITION BASKETBALL
7:30—First United Church gym, First United vs. Alberni, pre-midget boys.
8:30—First United vs. Alberni, midget boys.

SUNDAY
MINOR SOCCER
1:00—Windsor Park, Army, Navy, Air Force Vets vs. Eagles, Division 1 (Final).
2:00—Windsor Park, Eagles vs. Mic Macs, Division 1 (Final).
EXHIBITION SOCCER
2:00—Beywood Avenue Park, Victoria City, Coast Soccer League vs. J.B.A.A. first division Victoria and District League.

Slugging Sailor in Smashing Victory

By RON COULTER

A hard-punching sailor upset the dope sheet Friday night at a Greater Victoria Amateur Boxing Association card at Victoria Ballroom.

Leading Seaman Fred Swanbeck scored a sharp upset over Esquimalt Boxing Club's Fred Curtis in the 146-pound main event.

The spirited bout lasted only 45 seconds, Swanbeck twice battering Curtis to the canvas before being awarded a technical knockout over the former Vancouver Island Golden Gloves winner.

Some 300 fans watched the fighters go through their paces in a better than average card. Proceeds from the bout will go toward sending Island Silver Glove champions to the British Columbia Silver Gloves tourney in Vancouver next month.

In another top bout, class A Alan Fairweather of Alberni was staggered in the first round but came back to take a decision from Leading Seaman Ted Herington, Navy.

Former Island Golden Boy and Golden Glove winner Lloyd Tahouney of Esquimalt took a split decision from Army's Ernie Falconer, who was fighting the second bout of his short career.

Both boxers mixed it freely, with Tahouney's strong left resulting in the final decision.

Willard Gallie of Alberni, 1955 Silver Gloves champion, was upset by rugged Doug Cameron of Victoria Fire Department in a spirited bout.

Cameron, who didn't fight in the Silver Gloves, had the champion down for a three count in the third round and staggered Gallie just as the bell rang ending the fight.

Mrs. Degirolamo marked up her eighth straight win by defeating Mrs. I. Hanson's Kimberley foursome.

Mrs. Fuller moved into the semis Friday morning by downing Mrs. T. Murphy of Vancouver, 10-4.

Two Victoria rinks finished the round-robin series with records of one victory and two losses.

Mrs. Nora Dunstan of Victoria lost, 11-7, to Mrs. Degirolamo and Miss Marion Bradley, also of Victoria, ran up a 19-8 victory over Mrs. O. Graham of Chilliwack.

Other third-round results follow:

Mrs. F. Kirby, Copper Mountain, 13; Mrs. A. Stelmack, Chilliwack, 11; Mrs. L. Tothman, Peachland, 10; Mrs. M. Sigurd, Vernon, 9; Mrs. L. Tyler, Kamloops, 12; Mrs. V. Beeb, Kelowna, 7.

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A Week's Work

By DENNY BOYD

Lady Macbeth, who was an accomplice when her husband dined a house guest, used to walk in her sleep, mumbling that all the water in all the oceans would not wash the blood of the victim from her hands.

Don Ashbee has been kicking around the rougher corners of professional hockey trails too long to walk in his sleep with worry. But he must wonder, at times, why the talent of professionalism is so unpopular with the amateur hockey fans around this town. Solving that last poser, he still would have to search for the detergent to clean the stain that comes from trafficking in goals and dollars.

If Don ever wonders why he draws hoots from Vancouver Island Amateur Hockey League fans every time he scores a goal for C&C Taxi (and I don't think it bothers

him overly), he might ask a couple of team-mates, Joe Evans and Bernie Strongman. Joe and Bernie left their best years and most of their hair in the professional circuit and they, like Ashbee, have settled down and are playing their hockey for kicks and whatever peanut money is left over at the end of the season to be divided between the clubs.

Joe, Bernie and Don do things right hockey-wise. They don't trip over blue-lines and don't maim themselves throwing ill-aimed body checks.

They Love to Hate Them

But, ostensibly because they are former professionals, the only way they can get a cheer is to draw a penalty or get checked. Must be kind of frustrating to score your third goal of the game and hear the fans howl for your blood, especially if the goals are scored against a team from up-Island. Next to the song of the coffee vendors, the loudest noise in Memorial Arena on a Monday night is, "Yah Ashbee (or Evans or Strongman), go back to the Cougars."

Ashbee answers these jibes with a scowl, a scowl that is all the more scowly because, like most guys who have played hockey for pay, he takes his teeth out before a game.

But Ashbee on the street is

a different Ashbee who battles with Navy's John Bond and assorted referees and line-men.

A guy who has seen a lot of life in his 25 years, Ashbee could pass for a college student in his informal street clothes. With his crew-cut hair standing at stiff attention and a billowing pipe clenched between his teeth, he is a solid looking citizen. Not that Ashbee is easy-going to a fault. Monday night he picked up a minor penalty in a game. When he came into the penalty box he was quivering with rage.

"How do you like that?" he asked. "A couple of games ago they kick me out for cussing a referee and that guy just swore at me when he gave me the penalty."

Lure of Fishing Caught Him

But after the game, he was in an affable enough mood to change the subject to one that is dear to his heart—fishing. Patrolling the Cowichan River, Ashbee has collected seven steelheads since arriving in Victoria. When I was in Peterborough last summer I met Ashbee at the infamous Miller Bowl and remarked on how nice the East was at that time of year. "It's nice enough," said Ashbee, "but I'd trade it all for the fishing you get on the coast." And sure enough, he did.

When Don arrived in Victoria, his nerves were not in good shape because he had seen things that a young father of two should never see. He was pressed into rescue service, shortly before heading for Victoria, during the tragic floods that hit Ontario. Working for exhaus-

ing hours in icy water, Ashbee helped to pull the bodies of youngsters the same age as his own from flooded houses.

After that, he drove from Ontario to Victoria with his family. When he failed to stick with the Victoria Cougars, the lure of the city, the fishing, and the prospect of lining up with the Victoria Shamrock Lacrosse Club kept him here.

Ashbee should be a popular Shamrock. He is a proven stick-handler and players checked by the well-knit easterners have been seen examining their teeth for looseness. The lacrosse fans will probably like him because they don't give a tinker's darn what he did before he came here. Nor do they care if he goes back to the Cougars or not.

THE DEAD AND DYING

Hawks, Rangers Tie In 'Nothing' Game

By The Canadian Press

National Hockey League fans might as well forget about New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks for this season. The Hawks are dead; the Rangers have only a flicker of life.

NHL Summary

	GP	W	L	T	P	A	Pts.
Montreal	58	34	15	9	10	128	71
Detroit	60	33	17	10	10	119	76
Toronto	61	23	19	19	12	115	60
Boston	60	20	20	20	10	100	40
New York	61	14	30	17	12	103	45
Chicago	60	11	34	15	14	109	37

NEW YORK 2, CHICAGO 1

First period—1, Chicago, Stanley (Morosko) 10:58; 2, New York, Conacher (Murphy, Howell), 10:22. Penalties: Irwin 0:34, Hollingsworth 14:56. Second period—3, Chicago, Sullivan (Lassenberger), 1:42; 4, New York, Conacher (Howell, Fontaine), 2:16. Penalty: Hollingsworth 12:55. Third period—No scoring. Penalties: Pryal 15:34. Shots: Worstley 14, 12, 6—33; Bassen 7, 13, 9—28.

Kennel Club's Spring Show

The 68th annual spring all-breed championship dog shows, sponsored by the Victoria City Kennel Club Inc., will be held March 11 and 12 in the Crystal Garden.

Friday's show will be judged by Mrs. Margot Bowden, local dog fancier and all-breed judge. Mr. Chris Shuttleworth, of California, will judge all breeds, groups, and other general specials on Saturday.

Midnight, Tuesday, is the closing date for entries. Entry forms and other information may be obtained by telephoning the club secretary at 3-2536.

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Hard-working Victoria Cougar marksman, Andy Heberton, is currently enjoying his best season in hockey, from a scoring standpoint, while patrolling right wing for the WHL team in an efficient manner. Heberton, a near-cinch for all-star rating, has 41 goals

to his credit, one less than Edmonton Flyer's centre, Bronco Horvath, at 42. The Cougar sharpshooter will be seeking to add to his personal stock tonight when Cougars meet New Westminster Royals at the mainland city. (Times Photo by Irving Strickland.)

Flyers Whip Quakers; Cougars Meet Royals

Edmonton 5, Saskatoon 2

EDMONTON (CP)—Fate of the fourth and final playoff berth in the Western Hockey League could be decided tonight as all teams swing into action.

Friday night's game, which saw the host Edmonton Flyers defeat Saskatoon Quakers 5-2, made no difference in the top four spots. Tonight, Vancouver Canucks will tackle Calgary Stampeders on Prairie ground in an all-out effort to edge their way into the fourth spot and the playoffs.

At the same time, New Westminster Royals will be trying just as hard to hold on to the No. 4 position as they play host to the Victoria Cougars.

ONE-POINT EDGE

Royals hold the spot by only one point.

In the other tilt tonight, Edmonton travels to Saskatoon for a return-match that will make little or no change in the standings.

Friday, it was a third-period victory for the Flyers, who belted in a trio of goals in the final frame to take the game before about 3,400 fans.

A pair of goals by Johnny Bucyk set the pace for Edmonton, with other goals scored by Bronco Horvath, Ed Stankiewicz and Lorne Davis.

Eddie Kobussen and Vic Lynn made up the Quaker scoring roster.

Cougars, still with their sights set on a second-place finish, will be firing pucks at a new target tonight.

After Cougars whistled 10 goals past the slumping Lucien Dechene in Victoria Wednesday night, Royals' owner Kenny McKenzie announced that Dechene was being lifted in favor of rookie Dave Gatherum. McKenzie said the goal-tending job would be Gatherum's for the rest of the season, barring injury.

WHL Summary

	GP	W	L	T	P	A	Pts.
Edmonton	60	33	16	10	22	109	76
VICTORIA	60	28	26	6	20	175	62
Calgary	61	26	25	10	22	218	62
New West.	60	25	27	8	20	249	58
Vancouver	60	26	28	7	17	185	57
Saskatoon	60	18	32	9	17	217	45

EDMONTON 5, SASKATOON 2

First period—1, Saskatoon, Kobussen (Houshion), 8:50; 2, Edmonton, Bucyk (Horvath, Hyrman), 15:52. Penalties: Zeidel 4:48, Milford 15:40. Second period—3, Edmonton, Horvath (Bucyk, Zeniak), 6:50; 4, Saskatoon, Lynn (McKenley, Katers), 11:46. Penalties: Evans 5:51, Zeidel 11:46. Third period—5, Edmonton, Davis (McKenley, Horvath), 17:48. Penalties: None. Shots: Bentley 7, 16, 10—33; Hall 5, 7, 5—17.

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EASILY DEFEATS DAVIS

Sandy Hopes to Move Up Notch

By JACK CUDDY, United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (UP)—Featherweight champion Sandy Saddler, easy conqueror of challenger Teddy (Red Top) Davis, sought a crack at the lightweight crown today.

Agreeing that Saddler would be an excellent lightweight contender, managing director Harry Markson of the International Boxing Club said, "we would like to have Sandy challenge Jimmy Carter for the lightweight title in May."

Skinny Saddler lacked his old-time accuracy Friday night as he made his first defense of the 126-pound crown in more than three years; but he won in such lop-sided fashion over top contender Davis that he stands out like a giant in the feather class.

UNANIMOUS CHOICE

His long left jabs and bursts of left uppercuts at close quarters won the unanimous 15-round decision before a disappointing crowd of 5,272 in Madison Square Garden like a 100-1 choice instead of a mere 9-5 favorite.

Elongated Saddler, scaling 124½ pounds to Red Top's 126, was unable to floor the 31-year-old challenger; but he had the right side of Red Top's face so swollen that he looked like a man with the mumps. The champion bled from his lower lip after the eighth round.

Davis claimed he injured his right hand in the third round, and he was scheduled to have it X-rayed today. He threw few rights during the bout. The challenger tired in the later going and concentrated on retreating and slipping punches to avoid Sandy's heavy guns.



SANDY SADDLER ... seeks lightweight shot

Archery Scores

Archery results of the Victoria Bowmen of the 75th HAA follow:

Men: Bill Carnes 466, Frank Jones 452, Bob Copeman 440, Doug Dye 398, Jim Stewart 387, Ross Carr 356, Chas. Sappala 351, Bob Akins 284, Walter Kromm 180.

Women: Lil Jones 422, Bess Copeman 418, Dorothy Carr 350, Irene Stewart 327, Helen Dye 286, Ada Akins 204, Carmel de Montigny 201.

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Bowling Wheels All Silent Now

By RON COULTER

It happens every time. Comes a handicap tenpin tourney and gripes are heard from better-than-average bowlers, complaining that they don't stand a chance.

But when they get the chance to roll in a scratch tourney, few voices are heard and some of the supposedly top bowlers and so-called big wheels in local pin organizations are strangely found missing from the entries.

Apparently only one conclusion can be drawn—they don't feel they stand a chance to take honors and fail to consider it a worthwhile "risk" to put out a few bucks for top-notch bowling.

But, since when have the

trundlers considered it a "risk?"

The event in question is the second annual 24-game Victoria zone tenpin singles championship—in which there is a total entry of 19.

Where, we would like to know, are the big-time boys? As it is, the 19 keggers entered will start shooting in the second of four six-game rounds tonight at 6:45 at Gibson's Bowladrome.

Top Trundlers of the Week

Veteran Len Murrant will hold a 40-pin lead over his nearest competitor, Andy Palmer, by virtue of a 1,192 series rolled in the opening set Monday at Strathcona Bowling Alleys. Palmer cracked out a 1,152 total.

Women tenpinners will be vying for city singles and doubles championships Sunday at Gibson's. Afternoon shifts will start at 1 and 5, with the final shift starting at 9.

Yes, gals, Nanaimo girls will be rolling—14 of them all told.

Len Parsons made the big noise in league action this week. Rolling in Gibson's mixed tens, Parsons racked up games of 277, 220 and 159 for a 656 total.

His 277 single and 656 triple set new league highs for this season.

Murrant, 633; Nick Howard, 593, and Cas Sapala, 576, shot other top threes. Murrant posted a 224 singleton and Howard hit for 222.

Duff Williams led the women with a 560 total, Mary Bashforth firing a 203 single and 553 triple. Jean Gray came in with an even 200 game.

In commercial action, W. Mitchell with singles of 256, 167 and 194 for a 617 total and

Cliffe Steele with games of 212, 196 and 207 for 615 set the pace. Sapala, 597; Fred Shaw, 567; Dave Doolittle and Connie McBeth, 566; Jack Bacon, Roy Bridger and G. Baker, 564; Len Hobbs, 556, and Wilbur Webb at 553 followed.

Bridger, 236; Sapala, 216; R. Stevenson, 210; Bacon, 210, 200; H. Hazard, 209; McBeth, 206; Jack Fletcher and Gordie Bamford, 203; Bud Marty and A. Johnson, 201, and Andy Ocharek and Bill Brown, 200, had notable singles.

In Strathcona commercial tens Wally Anderson set the pace with a 580 triple, followed by Dave Williams, 571; Roy Rega, 557; McBeth, 556; George Hall and Ron McArthur, 551.

Anderson, 225; McBeth, 223; Don Morrison, 219; Doolittle, 211; Bob Lyons, 209; Bill Coates and McArthur, 202, and Hall, 201, claimed other top singles.

Blondie Robinson, 859; Reg Waggoner, 800; Harry Cool, 794; R. McMillan, 778; Jack Edwards, 759; Howie Butler, 749; Lloyd Jones, 723; Don Matheson, 713, and Bert Acres, 700, had high threes in Gibson's fivepin action.

Jim Nott, 819; Waggoner, 813; Cy Wallis, 786; Jerry Lawrence, 764; Tom Harvey, 743; Bob Elliott, 728; Stan Jones, 724; Don Corbett, 706, and Ken Jones, 701, rounded out leading threes at Capital City.

'THE SOONER THE BETTER'

Irvin Calls for End To Vezina Cup Race

MONTREAL (CP)—Dick Irvin, coach of Montreal Canadiens, came out Wednesday with the flat statement that "the sooner the Vezina trophy is done away with, the better for the fans."

Sitting in his office in the Montreal Forum, the veteran coach unburdened himself on defensive hockey by teams whose goalies are contenders for the trophy and the \$1,000 that goes with it.

With a show of righteous wrath Irvin declared Harry Lumley of Toronto Leafs should be declared ineligible for the trophy this year.

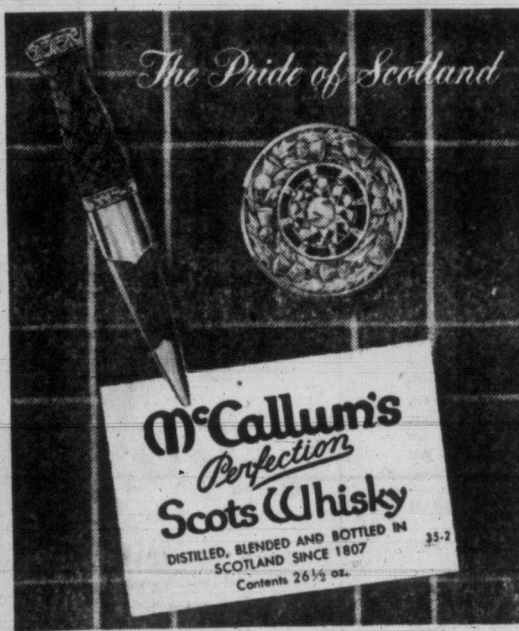
It was Irvin who called for measurement of Lumley's goal stick during a game in Toronto Feb. 9. The stick was over-size. "There's a goalie who played in 45 games this season with an over-size stick," said Irvin. "What's more he admits he used the same pattern stick when he played for Detroit and Chicago. Why should he be eligible for the trophy? He shouldn't."

Currently Lumley and Terry Sawchuk of Detroit Red Wings are in a tight battle for the trophy, which goes to the National Hockey League goalie who has played the most games for the team with the fewest goals scored against it.

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First Race—	\$22.90 \$12.10 \$4.20
Keyes (Beland)	---
Paul's Diamond (Powell)	---
Best Slicks (Gottlieb)	---
Time: 33 1-5.	---
Also: Masti Regard, Crinson Star, Laughing Boy, Manassah, Tote Call, Frying Venus, Muir Fly.	---
Second Race—	\$8.60 \$4.30 \$2.70
Y Bond (Taniguchi)	---
Dark (Beland)	---
Shubbed (Shoemaker)	---
Time: 1:34 1-5.	---
Also: Very Ultra, Irish Claim, Blue Chip Bond, Charly Clifton, Bonoma, Pals Dottie Mahan, Stevenhewer, Daming Karim, Trace Head.	---
Third Race—	\$4.00 \$2.00 \$1.20
King's Moll (Shoemaker)	---
Onslow (York)	---
Time: 1:50 4-5.	---
Also: Food for Thought, Copper Streak, Big Star, Jet, Black, Grandpa Jack, Nick D Bird, Galliano, Captain Van, Revolas.	---
Fourth Race—	\$30.50 \$15.40 \$7.60
Mims (Newes)	---
Jovie K. (Taniguchi)	---
Time: 1:11.	---
Also: Bell O Shannon, Noorion, Phil, Blue One, Songcraft, Weather.	---
Fifth Race—	\$75.30 \$36.60 \$15.20
Moody Dice (Yeutter)	---
Time: 1:24 1-5.	---
Also: Mrs. Hazooka, Texas League, Seamus, Valor II, Fair Song, Hookahy, Endover, Black Hand, Halfacre.	---
Sixth Race—	\$2.00 \$1.00 \$0.60
Go-Go-Pay (Valenzuela)	---
Paricake (Plexa)	---
Rover Bill (Volke)	---
Time: 1:10 2-5.	---
Also: Brighter Days, Liquid Gold, Full Time, Blended.	---
Seventh Race—	\$8.40 \$4.00 \$2.20
High Railing (Shoemaker)	---
Mary Machre (Boland)	---
Perfection (Trotter)	---
Time: 1:10 1-5.	---
Also: Omelet, Satin Queen, Sixpence II, Speedy Ace.	---
Eighth Race—	\$22.30 \$11.40 \$5.70
Breeding Bene (Nelson)	---
Captain Blood (Shoemaker)	---
Time: 1:42 4-5.	---
Also: Pukka Lil, Pat Thompson, Helio, Wise, Ergo, Artikon, Spindles Speed, Sunny Kayle, My Bob Bobby, Go Voya.	---

NHL Leaders

By THE CANADIAN PRESS	G	A	Pts
Beliveau, Montreal	23	34	87
Geoffrion, Montreal	24	38	87
Richard, Montreal	28	27	65
Omstead, Montreal	9	43	52
Sullivan, Chicago	16	34	50
Smith, Toronto	29	40	49
Howe, Detroit	24	33	47
Modell, Montreal	21	28	47

SECRET OF SUCCESS

Stone Rink Proves Real Cool Foursome

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—Coolness under fire and perfect team work have spelled curling success for Reg Stone's British Columbia champion Trail rink, provincial entry in the Canadian curling classic at Regina March 7-11.

Winning 19 of 21 games in the B.C. bonspiel at Kamloops, Stone defeated Milt Ryalls of Nelson in a best-of-three play-off to skip his fifth championship in 12 years of provincial competition. They were winners in 1945, 1949, 1952 and 1953.

The rink has skip Reg Stone's brother Roy as third, Buzz McGibney second and Hunt McKay as lead. It has functioned as a unit since 1953. After their provincial title that year, they were runners-up a year ago.

VETERAN SKIP—Skip Reg Stone, cheerful manager of Trail's Cominco Arena, has been throwing rocks since 1941. Now 40, he has entered a rink in the provincial championships 12 times.

In the Dominion competition at Hamilton in 1949 he was runner-up to Ken Watson's rink from Winnipeg.

The present rink is the fourth that Reg has put together and skipped to the provincial crown. Brother Roy has been with him on all previous occasions with Buzz McGibney joining in 1950. His rink personnel have never been on any other champion rink.

The four men stick together, even off the curling sheet, with each boasting an above-average golf game during the summer. Roy Stone is club professional at the nearby Rossland-Trail Country Club.

Roy Stone, 39, started curling one year after brother Reg. He has done all his curling for the Trail Curling Club, as have the

other members of the rink.

Second Buzz McGibney has been addicted to curling since 1949 and has been hooked up with Stone since 1959. Buzz, 35, is considered one of the key men in Stone's style of play.

Youngest both in experience and age is lead Hunt McKay, 27, who has only been curling since 1950. He joined Reg in 1953 and this is his second championship year.

Dockers Clinch Second Place

Esquimalt High Dockers third straight league championship. Esquimalt High Dockers clinched the finishing touches on second place in the Inter-High School Senior Boys' Basketball League at Esquimalt High Friday night by hammering out a 58-18 win over Oak Bay High.

Joe Patterson and Chuck Bennett led the Dockers to their fourth straight win with 17 and 16 points respectively. First place Victoria High took its

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CURLING DRAW

Victoria Curling Club draw for next week follows:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
6:45—Paulin vs. Cathro (8); Holliday vs. Hanfrew (3); McGillivray vs. C. Wells (1); Knight vs. Shillington (4); Kilgour vs. Rev. Roberts (2); Noble vs. Madden (7).	6:45—Harrell vs. Yardley (8); Walkey vs. Hycroft (2); Burson vs. Hanford (1); Burden vs. Burden (5); Yardley vs. Walkey (6); Burson vs. Rykroff (7); Hanford vs. Hyde (3); Zabel vs. Orniston (8); Hillard vs. Robertson (1).	6:45—Thornley vs. K. C. Lawson (5); Guteski vs. Garraway (6); McIntosh vs. Moysey (7); Brown vs. Brown (2); Pick vs. Bill Lawson (8); McDougall vs. Ludlow (1).	6:45—Langley vs. Richardson; Bullock vs. Wells.	6:45—Langley vs. Stubbs.	6:45—B. Brown vs. Smith.
9:00—G. W. Thomson vs. Cooper (8); Wilf Lawson vs. Leach (3); J. A. Thompson vs. Rev. Jones (1); Challenger vs. McCormick (4); Baker vs. P. Wells (2); McKittrick vs. Finlan (7).	6:45—Thornley vs. K. C. Lawson (5); Guteski vs. Garraway (6); McIntosh vs. Moysey (7); Brown vs. Brown (2); Pick vs. Bill Lawson (8); McDougall vs. Ludlow (1).	6:45—Thornley vs. K. C. Lawson (5); Guteski vs. Garraway (6); McIntosh vs. Moysey (7); Brown vs. Brown (2); Pick vs. Bill Lawson (8); McDougall vs. Ludlow (1).	6:45—Langley vs. Richardson; Bullock vs. Wells.	6:45—Langley vs. Stubbs.	6:45—B. Brown vs. Smith.
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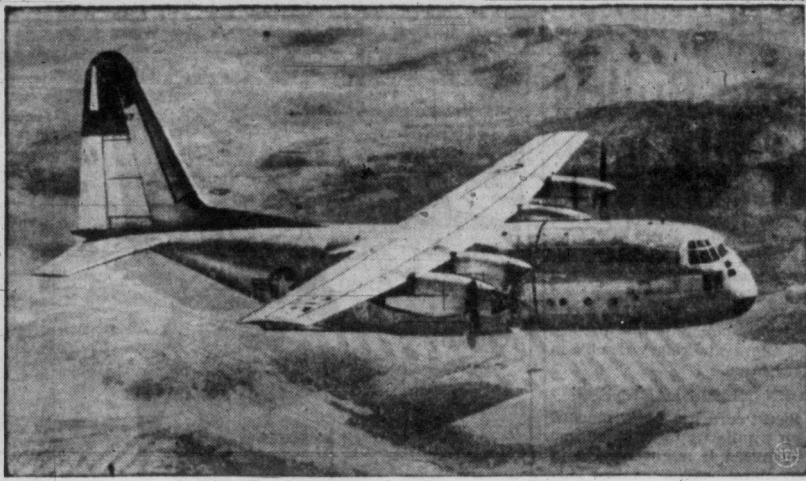
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strips to deliver troops and weapons to front lines; evacuate wounded to rear-area hospitals and serve as a cargo carrier for long-range movements. The plane measures 132 feet from wing tip to wing tip and 95 feet from nose to tail. It is 38 feet in height. (NEA Photo.)

Federal Deficit Seen Possible

Ottawa's Surplus Account Now Half What It Was One Year Ago

OTTAWA (CP)—The surplus on Canada's budget for the first 10 months of the current fiscal year is less than half that for the same period in the last fiscal year.

The finance department has explained that it boosted the treasury's January surplus to an unusually high \$77,474,000 by transferring into its coffers a month early the Bank of Canada's annual profits, this year \$41,400,000.

Still, the monthly treasury statement released Friday showed the budgetary surplus totalled \$123,130,000 for the first 10 months of the fiscal year ending March 31.

That is less than half the \$287,494,000 in that period of 1953-54. And without the Bank of Canada profits, shelled into the government treasury in February last year, the treasury surplus for January would have been \$36,074,000, down from \$47,113,000 a year ago.

SOCIAL SECURITY COSTS

January government expenditures rose to \$313,138,000 from \$309,000,000 mostly from higher social security costs and miscellaneous increases, but spending for the 10 months totalled \$3,247,455,000, just above the \$3,247,248,000 last year.

January defence spending was \$130,109,000, virtually the same as the \$130,396,000 last

year. The 10-month total was down slightly, however, to \$1,251,588,000 from \$1,361,040,000.

Overall budgetary revenue increased in January to \$390,612,000 from \$356,113,000, though the 10-month total was still down to \$3,363,576,000 from \$3,524,742,000 last year.

SURPLUS SINCE '45

There has been speculation that if the usual pile-up of bills towards the year's end appears this fiscal year, the government will have its first deficit since the war. Year-end bills in the 1953-54 year sheared the government's budgetary surplus to \$46,000,000, and the January treasury statement showed the revenue-expenditure pattern following trends of past months.

Total tax income was still suffering from lower intake of corporation income tax, despite the slightly higher sales tax and import duty collections and personal income tax flow roughly the same as a year ago.

Tax revenue for the month totalled \$328,610,000, down from \$337,687,000 last year. That cut the 10-month collections to \$3,090,845,000 from \$3,314,610,000.

Better Water-Use Planning Advocated by PUC Engineer

Because it has water resources in abundance, British Columbia has been guilty of developing its waterways with single-purpose objectives in mind. P. R. Purcell, assistant engineer of the Public Utilities Commission, told the B.C. Natural Resources Conference Friday.

He advocated greater thought be given to planning future development, so that the same water might serve a multiplicity of uses. In this connection, he urged the recreational value of waterways should count as a matter of importance.

"It has been announced Helmsken Falls in Wells Gray Park is being investigated as a possible source of hydro-electric power," Mr. Purcell noted. "Although these magnificent falls have not been seen by many of our citizens, they are one of the major attractions in this park, and it is hoped all possible means of saving the falls will be considered. The full value of the park should be taken into account in reckoning the cost of this development."

Quality of water, he said, could be seriously impaired where pulp mills made use of it and then turned it back to nature.

Stressing the importance of water to industry, he reported 40 per cent of the total water

consumption in the U.S. was for industrial purposes.

He said five gallons of water were required to process one gallon of milk; 10 gallons to produce one gallon of gasoline; 100 gallons of water to make one gallon of alcohol, and 65,000 gallons of water to turn out one ton of steel.

H. A. Maclean, QC, deputy attorney-general, only other speaker in the water panel, said B.C.'s Water Act was working well and had contributed materially to the industrial and agricultural development of the area.

"From the point of view of the farmer or industrial user, the water license gives a security of tenure," he said.

Board Asks Revision Of Real Estate Act

KAMLOOPS (CP)—Kamloops and District Board of Trade Friday approved a motion calling on the provincial government to amend the B.C. Real Estate Act to bring the profession into proper repute and to a higher level.

The step is advanced as a "temporary measure" until the report of a province-wide investigating committee has been submitted.

The motion asks that a bond be set of \$4,000 for agents and \$1,500 for salesmen.

WEEK-END REVIEW

North American Markets Decline After London Boosts Bank Rate

By GEORGE LINTON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Caution lights flashed over the ocean to North American stock markets this week, and traders were quick to withdraw to sit out developments.

Eyes were turned to the London, Eng., market, which fell sharply after Chancellor of the Exchequer R. A. Butler restricted business credit by raising the Bank of England's interest rate on loans to 4½ from 3½ per cent.

New York stocks had been riding up to another high Wednesday, the day before Butler's announcement. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks touched a record high of \$160.50, up 60 cents since Monday's opening.

But news of the London market's fall brought a sharp slackening of demand to Wall Street as traders, always cautious with prices at record levels, withdrew to see what effect the

British move might have on the U.S. economy.

Prices drifted downward and the AP average closed Friday at \$158.90 for \$1.00 loss on the week.

FOLLOW NEW YORK

Toronto prices followed the New York downturn and trading also slackened. Interlisted issues suffered some of the sharpest declines.

Senior base metal producers including Noranda, Hudson Bay and International Nickel dropped \$1 or more, but Sullivan, McIntyre and Giant Yellowknife gained among golds.

Among lower-priced uraniums Consolidated Denison climbed 90 cents to \$4.40; Lorado 60 to

\$4.00, Pronto 50 to \$7.75 and Faraday 32 to \$2.45.

The week's index drops: Industrials 2.92 to 381.63, golds 17 to 83.94, base metals 2.74 to 165.16, and western oils 1.85 to 105.93.

Montreal prices also followed the lower New York trend.

The bank average dropped 9.97 to 48.91, utilities 1.5 to 120.3, industrials 3.5 to 250.8, and papers 25.25 to 1,178.49, but the gold index climbed narrowly, .03 to 70.38.

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U.S. Steel Production Hits 15-Month High

Mills Producing at 89% Capacity; Have Sights Set on Reaching 95

By WALTER BREDE JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—Manufacturers of consumer and industrial goods set their sights this week on a continued upturn in American business.

Bold predictions of rising sales came from producers of such varied items as steel, automobiles, instant coffee, printing inks, prescription pills and atomic power equipment.

Lending at least some basis to forecasts of widening markets was a census bureau report on the expanding U.S. population. Four million babies were born in the United States last year. On Jan. 1, 1955, the population stood at an all-time high of 163,900,000.

AUTO OUTPUT DOWN

Auto output was down. After smashing records for two weeks straight, several of the larger manufacturers let up a little. Biggest factor in the decline: Chevrolet throttled down its production after pulling ahead of its toughest competitor, Ford.

But steel production set a 15-month high and was expected to go still higher. Up to now, most of the demand had been supplied by Detroit. More recently, however, there's been a sizable flow of orders from railroads, oil and gas companies, farm equipment manufacturers and construction projects. And it's being freely predicted that steel operations—better than 80 per cent right now—will top 95 per cent in the not too distant future.

The railroads were counting on better times. More freight is moving on the country's rail network. Loadings of revenue freight, at latest, were running better than 7½ per cent ahead of the comparable week last year.

AIR FREIGHT UP

Air freight, admittedly a "sick industry" a year ago, appeared to be perking up, too. Robert W. Prescott, president of Flying Tiger Line Inc., declared: "As of now, we're in about the best shape since we've been in business."

Westinghouse Electric Corp., whose products range from midsize radios to huge atomic-fueled electric power plants, is looking for a 10-per-cent rise in sales this year, said Gwylm A. Price, president. That would be a new peak. Last year the company set records in both sales and earnings.

The week's batch of 1954 earnings reports also included one from General Electric Co. listing net profits of more than \$212,500,000 against \$165,500,000 the year before.

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JAPAN GETS SHIP ORDER

TOKYO (AP)—Japan's Iino Heavy Industry Co. has contracted to build four 4,250-ton freighters, costing \$1,110,000 each, for Hellenic Lines, a Greek-owned New York firm. The 2,800-horsepower ships, to be delivered within 18 months, will be constructed at Maizuru, Western Japan.

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Lucid Advice on Home Landscapes

Garden Design Illustrated. John A. and Carol L. Grant. University of Washington Press, Seattle. 70 pages. \$5.75. This is the first practical book on landscaping the home grounds it has been my pleasure to read. The advice applies to any garden, in the temperate zone regardless of shape, size, or plants which can be grown in the district.

How can it cover so much territory? Because it deals in basic principles instead of giving plans which are hard to adapt and lists of plants difficult to obtain or grow.

It deals with texture of foliage, color, size of foliage, and the shapes of plants, showing how these should be combined to create a desired effect.

Once these basic factors are understood, pleasing garden design is bound to follow regardless of the names of the plants being used.

Well illustrated to explain the text and written in language the beginner can understand, this book should be in the library of every owner of a new home. J. G. B.

Gardens and Home Building

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WEEK'S GARDEN WORK

Weed and Cultivate

By JACK BEASTALL

Helleborus niger, the Christmas rose, may be planted now. Do not disturb old plantings if they are thriving.

Weed and cultivate between spring flowering bulbs now showing. Also hand weed between young plants set out last fall.

Spring cabbage need dressing with nitrate of soda. Plant rhubarb roots now. Prune autumn fruiting raspberries by cutting all canes down to three to four eyes.

Prune Spiraea bumalda var. Anthony Waterer, and other pink summer flowering spiraea, by cutting each branch back to two or three inches.

Prune Symphoricarpos racemosa (snowberry) by removing all thin weak wood entirely. This shrub should be dug every four to five years and divided, replanting only the strong canes with roots attached.

S. orbiculatus, the coral berry, should have all weak straggling growth removed.

Complete all repotting of house plants necessary. Start roots of Canna for planting outdoors in June. Put each root into a large pot with rich sandy soil and temperature of 60 deg. F.

Household Hints
Scuff marks on a newly-waxed kitchen floor may be for one reason—insufficient rinsing before the wax is applied. Failure to rinse after mopping causes a smear when the new application of wax mixes with the film of detergent underneath.

Paper stuck to furniture usually can be rubbed off with a soft cloth saturated in oil. Use furniture polish on the spot after the paper is removed.

More Heat for Drafty Homes

According to the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating, the old-fashioned house draft is the cause of more colds and discomfort than all the blizzards of winter.

Heating engineers have found that by using the right type of unit to suit each particular case, even the most persistent of drafts can be overcome.

Where there are large bay windows or large windows too close to the floor to allow room for a conventional type radiator a convector may be installed. It radiates heat and circulates air.

This type of heating unit comes in various models of varying heights, many low enough to be put beneath a quite low window sill.

For householders plagued with drafts at floor level there is the baseboard panel. This heating unit takes the place of, and looks like, a normal baseboard, and in this way carries warmth the entire length of a wall, or can even distribute it around the complete perimeter of the room. Slender radiators, concealed radiators, and newly-designed warm air vents in many shapes and sizes also combat drafts.

It isn't necessary to have a new home to take advantage of these new developments. They can be installed in place of existing units in almost any modern heating system.

BEASTALL SAYS

Book Reading Builds Garden Knowledge

By JACK BEASTALL

In all my gardening schedules there is a certain amount of time allotted for the reading of books.

I feel that books are an essential part of gardening. They enable us to compare present methods with those of the past, and from them we can always profit by reading the successes and failures of the other fellow.

We learn the history of our plants and of plants now forgotten, and we often find the solution to a problem where we least expected it would be.

KNOWLEDGE IN BOOKS
No matter by whom it was written, or on what phase of gardening, I have yet to read a book which has failed to tell me something I wanted to know.

For several years scabiosis has been a failure with me, and now I discover it dislikes heavy soil. With this knowledge at hand, it will have one more chance in a specially prepared soil, and if it fails it will go on my list of impossibles.

Years ago, when my interests were in leather, I tried in vain to trace the origin of a leather dressing known as Neat's-Foot oil. It remained for a gardening publication to produce the facts. An article on the London Neat House Gardens revealed neat to be a 17th century word for bullock.

UNCHANGING BEET

Going from neat to beet, we discover this is one of the oldest vegetables, yet it has never been hybridized or changed from the days of the Egyptians. Beets have been improved by selection only.

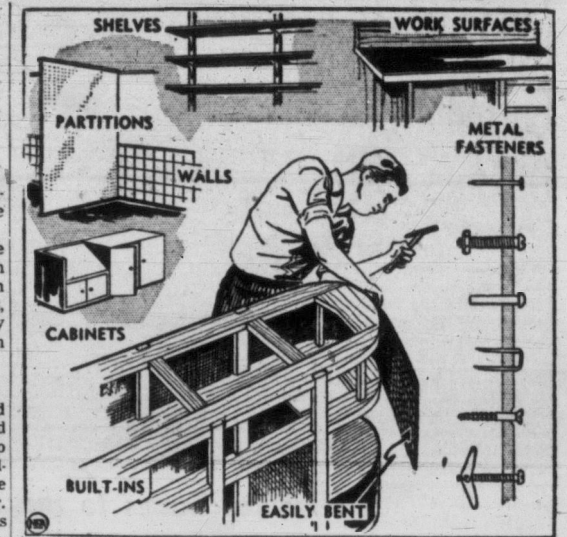
The beet will only thrive when reasonably near salt water, and should never receive artificial watering when grown.

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FOR DO-IT-YOURSELFERS

Hardboard Handy for Week-End Craftsmen

By MR. FIX

While professional craftsmen have known for many years the virtues of that building material called hardboard, amateurs have become best acquainted with it just since the Second World War. Even so, it is not yet as familiar to most do-it-yourselfers as, for example, plywood.

Hardboard, which is wood made tougher and denser than wood, is a panel product. Ordinarily four feet wide and in length up to 16 feet, its customary thicknesses are 1/8, 3/16, 1/4 and 5/16 inch.

The material is widely used in manufacture of home furnishings and in home building, often in such a way that you may not even be aware of its presence.

INCREASING USES

Low cost and easy workability of hardboard have made it especially popular with week-end craftsmen, who are finding increasing uses for it in the construction of home furnishings, toys and in various installations, including built-ins, room dividers and "dry walls."

The popular perforated hardboard, with its hundreds of evenly spaced holes and matching metal fixtures for hanging objects, has done much to build the demand for hardboard in general, which is available in lumberyards throughout the nation.

The characteristics of hardboard are: no grain to rise or check and mar the surface or applied finish; equal strength in all surface directions; hard, smooth surface; no knots or other imperfections; great compressive strength; will not split, splinter or crack; exceptional and permanent moisture resistance; will take almost any applied finish; can be formed readily into simple bends and curves; easily worked with ordinary woodworking tools; can be fastened with nails, adhesives, screws, rivets, bolts and others.

It would seem best to follow the middle road and contrive rooms that have a peaceful, tranquil quality. This can best be done by keeping walls, carpet and much of the upholstery in one tone, leaving color for small pieces and accessories.

Paint a ring of nail polish on the pull of one cord of your venetian blinds. The ring will tell which cord opens the blinds; which one closes.

the application of contrasting colors of paint.

There is a hardboard dyed black, one that is corrugated, another that is both corrugated and perforated and still another in the form of tongued-and-grooved panels.

Aside from the types and thicknesses, hardboard falls into two general classifications—the standard and the tempered. Tempered boards have been especially treated to make them more wear and moisture-resistant. They are recommended for exterior use and for interior use where hard wear or high humidity is anticipated.

Hardboard manufacturing processes vary somewhat. In the process used by Masonite Corp., the first manufacturer of hardboard, clean wood chips are fed into huge guns in which they are exploded into hair-like wood fibres. After further treatment the fibres are compressed into panel form in heated presses. In other manufacturing processes the fibres are separated by chemical or mechanical means, rather than by "explosion."

FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES

Various types and grades of hardboard may be used for various purposes. For example, interior walls and ceilings may be covered with standard, tempered, tile-scored, textured or predecorated hardboard. The usual rule for thickness is that the 1/8-inch board should go over a solid surface—such as cracked plaster wall or gypsum board—while the thicker boards may be nailed directly to studs that are 16 inches apart.

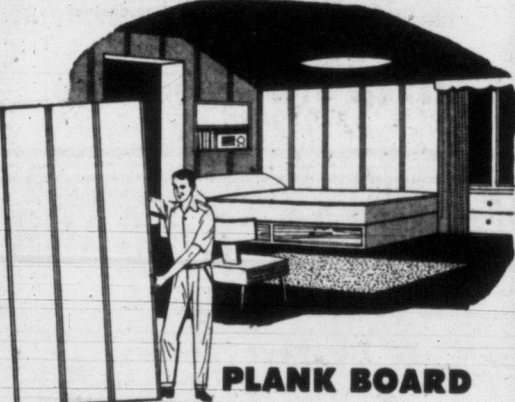
Generally, the methods and techniques for cutting wood apply to hardboard. Nails should be placed not closer than 1/4 inch from the edges and never toenailed into the edges. A twist drill is preferred to an auger bit for making holes in hardboard. Provide a solid, continuous support behind every joint.

A hardboard panel may be finished in the same manner as wood, using paint, enamel, lacquer, stain, varnish, wax, shellac or other finishes. A good prime coat and two finish coats are recommended. The cost of hardboard is lower than any similar material. While prices vary somewhat the typical price is 10 to 12 cents per square foot for 1/8-inch tempered hardboard. Thicker hardboards are proportionally higher priced.

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Utility Rooms Curtail Work Of Housewives

Authorities on the subject are pretty well agreed that a large percentage of the dirt a housewife has to contend with is brought into the house by the family, and this applies in summer as well as winter.

On the farm, as the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating points out, the problem has been faced very frankly. It has been to a great extent solved by the introduction of a "utility room" where male members of the family as well as farm hands can shuck off their dirty clothes, wash themselves and change before coming into the house proper.

Following this example, many city housewives are also setting up a utility room in the house, not only to take care of the problem of dirt brought into the house, but as a place where many household tasks, such as laundry, preparation of fruit and vegetables for table or preserving and similar jobs can be done. Chores that were formerly done with considerable inconvenience either in kitchen or bathroom are easily taken care of in this room, specifically designed for them.

Bearing in mind that the room will be used as a change room for the family's home-coming athletes both in summer and winter, it might be well to consider the installation of a shower cabinet. These units come complete from the factory, knocked down for easy transport, but quite watertight when erected. Easy to install, they require no special flooring and can be readily connected up with the existing water supply and drainage.

With the installation of a shower cabinet, the business of changing from outdoor or sports clothing to indoor wear in the utility room instead of in the house becomes quite easy. In winter, too, the shower will also be a good safeguard against chills and colds, against which there is no better preventive.

The new government-sponsored home improvement loans, now being made by chartered banks, are designed for just such purposes as this.

Productive Acreage Up 15 Million Says Forest Expert

Total productive acreage listed by the B.C. Forest Service today is 90,707,467, up 15,000,000 acres in the last decade.

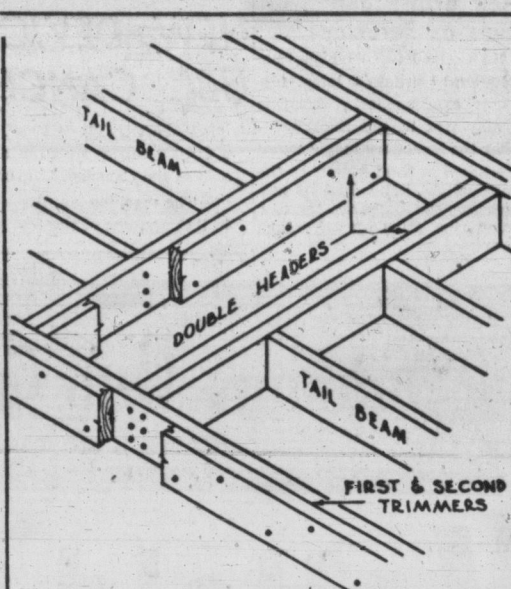
This was revealed at the Royal Commission forestry hearings underway here before Mr. Justice Gordon Sloan.

The report was made by Henry M. Pogue of the forest surveys and inventory division. Deputy Forests Minister C. D. Orchard said the time was past when accessibility of timber had to be considered, as timber would be accessible as needed.

Chief Justice Sloan said research funds had not increased with forest revenues and expenditures.

Speeder Fined

In Saanich court Thursday, John D. Stenstrom, 2390 Bowker, paid a fine of \$30 for exceeding the 50 miles an hour limit on Pat Bay Highway February 16. He was paced at 65 miles an hour.



FLOOR OPENINGS

Floor openings are framed by joists known as trimmer joists and headers. Trimmers and headers are doubled. Joists butting against headers are known as tail beams. Trimmer joists and tail beams are fastened to headers with three 4-inch nails or by metal joist hangers. Headers and tail beams more than 4' long are supported in metal joist hangers. First and second trimmers are nailed together with 3 1/2-inch nails every six inches, near top and bottom alternately; header pieces are nailed together in same manner.

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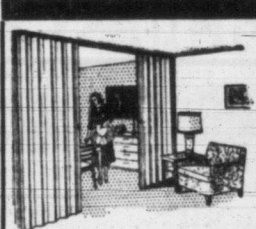
Orange Notes

Britannia LOBA, No. 214—Tuesday at 7.30 in lodge hall.
Sir Edward Carson LOL, No. 2394—Meets Tuesday at 8 p.m. in small hall.

Purple Star LOBA, No. 104—Meets Wednesday at 7.30 in large hall.

Pride of Victoria JOL, No. 55—Meets Thursday at 4.30 p.m. in large hall.

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Your Dog And Mine

By TAILWAGGER

If you see your dog constantly scratching at his ear or rubbing the side of his head along the floor, then you can suspect he is suffering from canker.

Canker in the ear is not a very serious complaint if treated early, but if neglected may become extremely difficult to cure. There are all sorts of remedies for the complaint on the market, some of them easy to apply, but so much harm can be done by unskilled hands that I am sure the best advice I can give is to take the dog for a visit to the vet.

The vet can decide whether the canker is internal or external and whether wet or dry treatment would be best. He, too, will show you how and what to pour into the ear—if this treatment should be necessary. So, if you suspect ear canker—and, remember, canker has nothing to do with cancer—take the vet's advice promptly.

SIGNS ARE PLAIN

I realise it is not always possible to hurry off immediately to the vet every time you suspect there is something wrong with your dog. So it is very necessary that every dog-owner should have some knowledge of first-aid. In the case of suspected canker, examine the dog's ears. The signs of external canker are plain to

be seen and bathing with a mild solution of peroxide will allay the trouble until you are able to obtain more expert treatment.

Internal canker is easily recognised by the obnoxious smell which comes from inside the ear.

In this case, first-aid treatment should consist of gently removing all hair from just inside the ear, especially the matted hair you are sure to find there. Then after bathing with peroxide solution dust lightly just inside the ear with finely powdered sulphur.

A visit to the vet is advised as soon as it is possible.

Citation for Chief

Police chief John Blackstock has been awarded a Fraternal Order of Eagles' citation for civic service. The club award has only been made twice previously, once to former Mayor Percy George and once to Carl Pedersen.

Dockyard Men Pay Tribute to Hibbard

A unanimous resolution expressing "sincere regret" at the retirement of Rear Admiral J. C. Hibbard as flag officer, Pacific Fleet, was passed at a meeting of the Management Association of HMC Dockyard Thursday.

The association comprises the civilian superintendents and department managers of Dockyard.

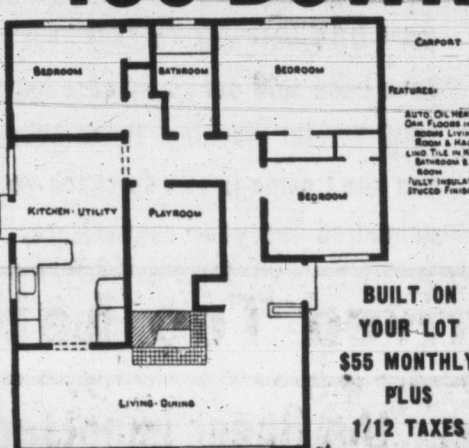
Forwarded to the admiral by Commodore Brian Spencer, commodore superintendent of Dockyard, the resolution assured "continued loyalty" and best wishes that he regain his health and find a congenial and useful occupation.

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Q: The walls of our unheated upstairs rooms sweat in winter. Can you tell us how to stop that?—Mrs. F.C.G.

A: Water vapor generated by cooking, bathing, clothes drying etc., may be condensing on the cold walls. Ventilating the rooms is one answer. It's also possible that, if your basement is warmer than the rest of the house, moisture there is being evaporated and carried to the upper parts of the house by convection currents. In which case you might take steps to cool the basement.

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Cities Ask Right to Build Big Central TV Antennae

B.C. cities today asked the Legislature's standing committee on municipalities for permission to go into the television antenna business.

A brief presented the committee included a proposed amendment to the Municipal Act which would allow cities to construct large central antennae.

Signals from the master antenna would be distributed by wire to householders.

The brief said in many areas, particularly the interior, ordinary antennae are not suitable, and the "master" receiving units are required.

It said cities want the power to establish and construct such receiving units and distribution system, "in the same category as other public utilities administered by them."

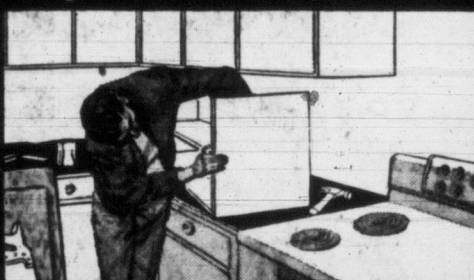
The brief said television from such a central antenna would be "in the nature of a service," the same as electric light and power.

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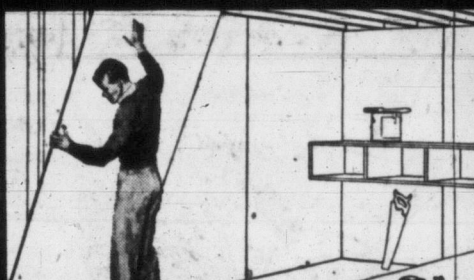
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DUNCAN COUNCIL REJECTS \$605,270 SCHOOL BUDGET

DUNCAN (CP)—City council has followed other municipal corporations in turning down school estimates. The school budget, as presented in tentative form, calls for expenditure of \$605,270, about \$70,000 more than last year. Revised estimates will be submitted before March 15.

Company Points to Fine Print In Logger's Suit for Injury

B.C. Court of Appeal Friday reserved judgment in the case of the Union Steamship Ltd., which appealed from a Supreme Court judgment awarding \$10,000 damages to a passenger who fell through the hatch of the vessel Catala in 1951.

Supreme Court Justice J. O. Wilson awarded the \$10,000 plus \$328 special damages, to Archie Barnes, a logger, for injuries suffered in the accident. He held the company negligent.

New British Sub Runs on Peroxide

BARROW-IN-FURNESS, Eng. (Reuters)—Britain's latest top-secret experimental submarine Friday was named Excalibur—after the legendary magic sword presented to King Arthur by the Lady of the Lake. Like its predecessor, the Explorer, the new submarine runs on hydrogen peroxide.

NEW DEVICE EXPANDS UBC CANCER RESEARCH

VANCOUVER (CP)—University of B.C. today received a \$16,000 cancer research machine from the provincial division of the Canadian Cancer Society.

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BAY DAY response from thrift-wise Victorians was overwhelming! And yet we knew the surprise appearance of winter must have kept some of you from coming in Saturday. So in order to make certain that no one is disappointed, we are holding the BAY DAY bargains (except hour specials) over for MONDAY! In some instances the BAY DAY special you wanted may have been sold out... please leave your order and we will do our best to fill it for you... Sometimes, too, despite the most careful planning, items being shipped to us arrived after BAY DAY... or too late to include in the supplement! If you can't come in... do check your BAY DAY supplement again... DIAL 3-7111 and place your order. All items are numbered for your convenience.

These Items Arrived Too Late for the BAY DAY Supplement



Reg. 12.95

Now wear the finest imported lambswool cardigans and pullovers! Save 5⁵⁰

Imagine... now, for no more than the price of an ordinary sweater, you can buy the finest imported cardigan or long-sleeve pullover of kitten-soft lambswool. Notice the full-fashioned sleeves... the turn-back cuffs... the double ribbed bands... all features you recognize in top quality, expensive sweaters. These would be a bargain at the regular price of 12.95... but this special BAY DAY purchase (which arrived too late for the supplement)... is priced to save you 5.50! And look at the luscious colors to mix and match... straw yellow, Veronica blue, beechwood brown, shell pink, ripple green. Sizes 34-42. Long-sleeve pullover or cardigan. Special, each 7⁴⁴

Just arrived! Exciting new spring blouses that would be 3.95 to 5.95

Just arrived (too late for the supplement), the perkier, most fascinating collection of spring blouses... every one an alluring charmer to glamourize your spring suit! There's sure to be a style for you in tailored or picture-pretty models, fashioned from miracle fabric nylons, alluracels or rayon sheer (all a whiz to wash). Choose a scoop neck, round neck, stand-up collar... in short, long or three-quarter sleeve. Pinks, blues, white, yellow. Sizes 12 to 20. Special, each 1⁷⁷

BAY sportswear, fashion floor, 2nd

Buy vellum stationery now — 18 snowy white vellum folded sheets and 18 matching envelopes in a neat box. Buy several boxes for your correspondence, and save! Special, box 29^c

BAY stationery, main

Sturdy British-made police boots are reg. 10.95 pair. Sturdily made from pliable black leather, they have double tongue, long-wearing leather soles, are fully leather lined. Sizes 6 to 12, broad fittings. Special, pair 8⁹⁹

BAY men's shoes, main

Boys' socks stretch to fit all sizes — No more worrying about proper sizes, or cramping feet in too-tight socks, because these magic stretch nylon socks fit every foot perfectly (sizes 8 to 10). Choose wine, tan, navy or blue now for longer-lasting wear. Special, pair 69^c

BAY boys' wear, main

Boys' short-sleeve T-shirts — Both plain and fancy patterns at this very special price. Buy him several for school wear. Sizes 6 to 14. Special, each 39^c

BAY boys' wear, main

Save! English flannel sheets — Buy fleecy soft white flannel sheets now and save \$1.26 pair! Ordinarily 6.95. Buy these fine sheets now for children's beds, spare room! 70x90-inch size has strongly whipped ends, blue border. Special, pair 5⁶⁹

BAY bedding, 3rd

Handy purse-size cosmetic bag — Ordinarily these smart little bags would be 49c to 59c each! Choose one now in plaid, blue, brown or black to keep your cosmetics neatly together. Button or zipper closing. Special, each 19^c

BAY cosmetics, main

Save 96c to 1.96 on tailored pajamas — Women's "Sanforized" silky broadcloth pajamas were 3.95 and 4.95 pair! Well cut for maximum sleeping comfort, choose a novelty print pattern on white ground. Small, medium, large. Special, pair 2⁹⁹

BAY lingerie, fashion floor, 2nd

Three cherry cups for the price of two! — Cheerful red cherry patterned cups and saucers are perfect for everyday... choose either the tall or low shape now when you can buy three cups for the price of two! Regular 50c each. Special 3 for 1⁷⁷

BAY china, main

Now! Playtex girdles at clearance prices! Monday save \$2 to \$3 on fab-lined models

Monday, save \$2 to \$3 on a Playtex girdle that will smooth and mold your figure with perfect control... and only miracle all-way stretch gives you such comfort! Lined with cloud-soft fabric, choose the model you prefer now at these special clearance savings! Sizes extra small, small, medium, large. Fab-lined girdle, regular 7.50, Special 5⁴⁹. Fab-lined panty girdle, regular 8.50, Special 5⁴⁹. Fab-lined brief, regular 5.95, Special 3⁹⁹. BAY foundation garments, fashion floor, 2nd

A new suit will cost only \$4! — Imagine! You can make a smart spring suit from regular 1.95 crease-resistant Hydra-Pruf suiting for about \$4! Choose a brown, grey or yellow novelty weave now. 54 inches wide. Special, yard 99^c

BAY fabrics, fashion floor, 2nd

Save! "Jolene" casual flats — smart strap casuals in red or black leather were 7.95 pair. Comfortable low heels. Sizes 5½ to 10, AA to B collectively. Special, pair 5⁹⁹

BAY women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

A pretty crepe dress for your daughter — buy hers in yellow, red, blue, pink or green washable crepe. Sizes 4 to 6. Special to clear, each 25^c

Also jersey dresses—Sizes 3, 4 and 5. Special, each \$1 BAY children's wear, 3rd

9 a.m. SPECIALS

On Sale One Hour Only or While Quantities Last
No Phone, C.O.D. or Mail Orders Please

Be early for a used lawnmower — Only 35 of these mechanic specials! Be early for your choice... they won't last long at this special price! Each 99^c

Bushel baskets for gardening — Priced so low because of soil marks. Buy a strong, slatted basket now for garden clean-up jobs. Special, each 19^c

Dutch grown double Begonias — Will make a blaze of color in your summer garden. Complete with cultivating instructions, 6 mixed colors. Per pkg. 49^c

Men's short-sleeve T-shirts... Can be worn as undershirts in the cooler weather. Balbriggan style in firm white cotton... will keep their shape. Small, medium and large. Special, each 50^c

BAY men's furnishings, main

Fine combed cotton T-shirts — Men's T-shirts, were 1.50 each. A manufacturer's clearance of this smart style saves you 50c each. Choose pink, royal, grey, coffee or yellow for casual wear. Small, medium, large. Special, each 99^c

Famous Viyella socks for men — Ankle and ¾ socks are ordinarily 1.25 to 1.50 a pair! Knit from strong wool and cotton yarns that won't shrink, they have nylon reinforced heel and toe for longer wear. Grey, wine, fawn, navy. 10½ to 12. Special, pair 89^c

Save \$2! White nylon shirt — Buy a reg. 6.95 nylon dress shirt now and save \$2! Just rinse out in the evening and it's ready to wear again in the morning... the fused collar and cuffs need no pressing. 15, 15½, 16. Special, each 4⁹⁵

BAY men's furnishings, main

2 p.m. SPECIALS

On Sale One Hour Only or While Quantities Last
No Phone, C.O.D. or Mail Orders Please

Buy 52c botany wool with nylon — Save 23c a ball! Kitten-soft, 3-ply knits up into lovely sweaters. Although colors are limited, there are a few shades with enough for a smart twin set. Select your favorite color from blue, light and dark green or rose, brown and fawn, mustard and gold. Special, 1-oz. ball 29^c

Perkins' Serviettes less than ½ price — 70 snowy-white luncheon-size serviettes to a box. Reg. 20c... buy 2 boxes now for less than price of 1! Special, box 9^c

Dainty tea napkins — Guests will be sure to remark on the fine texture of these delicate English paper napkins. Buy several packages now at this special savings. 20 in a package. Now 9^c

BAY stationery, main

Save 3.50! 2-way stretch girdle — Comfortable pull-on girdle would be 5.50 except for slight flaws that will not affect wear. Buy your new girdle now, save 3.50! Sizes 26 to 30. White. Special, each 1⁹⁸

BAY foundation garments, fashion floor, 2nd

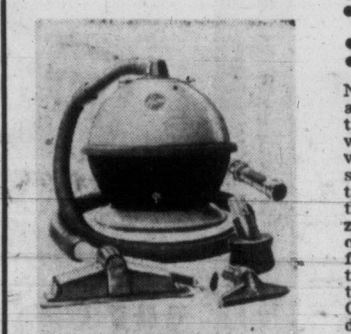
Economically priced briefs... Choose either handkerchief or brief style pantsies in white or pastel celadine. Small, medium, large. Special, each 29^c

BAY lingerie, fashion floor, 2nd

Make an inexpensive afternoon dress — Gaily printed spuns would be 98c yard, but because these are short ends you save 50c yard! Washable and colorfast, brown, mauve, grey, blue patterns are 36" and 42" wide. Special, yard 49^c

BAY fabrics, fashion floor, 2nd

See the NEW Hoover Constellation now at the BAY!



- The world's most powerful cleaner
- Entirely new design cleans 750 sq. ft. without moving
- Sanitary, large-size disposable bag!
- Most efficient rug nozzles

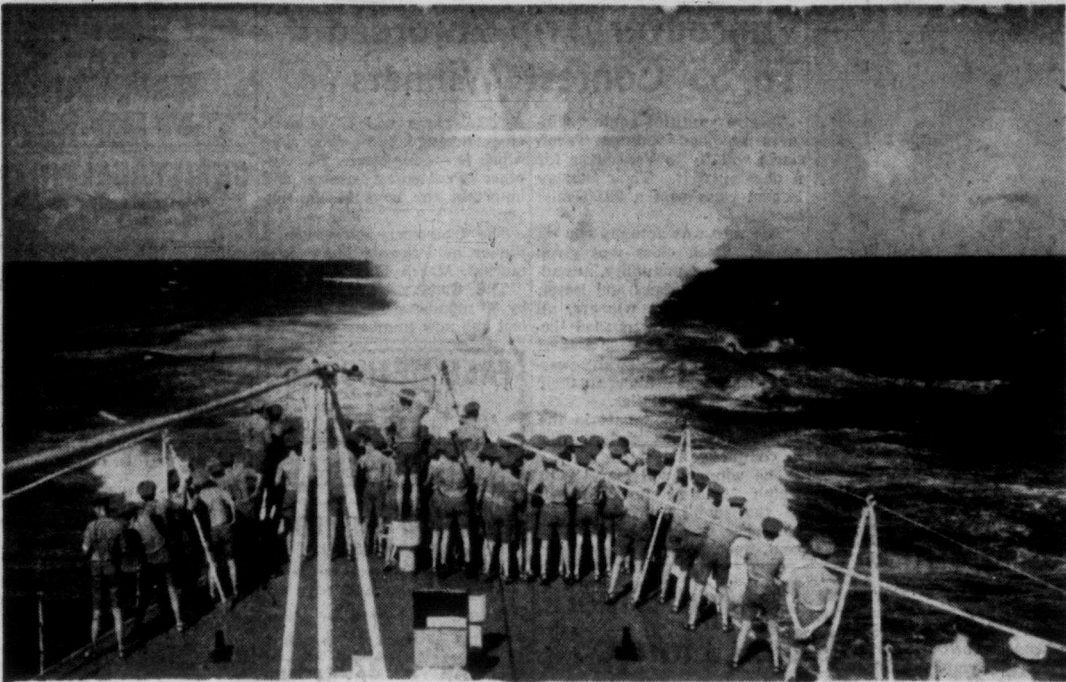
Now Hoover has perfected an entirely new model... the "Constellation" that will clean a complete room without moving it from one spot. See how your rug will take on new beauty with the efficient new rug nozzles... and here's a machine with a large, easy-fitting disposable bag! See the new Hoover Constellation... now at the BAY. Come in for a complete demonstration soon!

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Own the newest model Hoover for only \$5 now, \$7 monthly BAY Hoover display, 3rd

Own the newest model Hoover for only \$5 now, \$7 monthly

In Victoria Its the BAY, Where a SALE means EXTRA VALUE!



WINTRY BLASTS HOLD NO TERRORS for 79 HMCS Venture naval cadets who are aboard the cruiser Ontario on a three-month training voyage. Where they are, it's summer. Ontario today entered Bay of Islands, New Zealand, to carry out small-boat exercise. RCN photo shows group of cadets watch-

ing depth charge which has just been dropped by the cruiser. For most of them, it was a first look at the anti-submarine weapon in action. Ship is visiting Australia, New Zealand, Hawaii and Fiji Islands on present cruise.



BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

I guess you must be pretty anxious to hear how I feel about fluoridation.

Well, in the first place, I can just barely spell it and can hardly pronounce it at all, but I don't see why that should stop me from having opinions on it.

One thing about fluoridation, apparently a person need not actually know something about the subject before being in favor of it or against it.

As a matter of fact, I do know a little bit about fluoridation. As I understand it, fluoridation is the putting of something in the water supply so our teeth won't fall out.

Thus I must express myself as basically in favor of fluoridation, because I am inclined to be against teeth falling out.

Mind you, with the advances made by modern science, such as well-fitting plates, teeth do not fall out nearly as much as they used to in the old days. But just the same, anything which helps to keep our teeth in should be encouraged, especially since we can get corn on the cob all year 'round.

Therefore all intelligent persons will support the idea of fluoridation across the nation.

But do you think fluoridation alone is enough?

If it is a good thing to put fluorine in the water, surely there must be other things we could put in which would be equally beneficial.

One which occurs to me is after-shaving lotion. Men are forever forgetting to renew their bathroom supply of shaving lotion, and if this were included in the regular water supply, it would be a boon indeed.

Housewives would appreciate the inclusion of a good detergent to aid with their daily washing chores. And children, I am sure, would go for a slight chocolate flavor to relieve the monotony of drinking just plain water.

(I know what you are thinking, George, but you are wrong. I am not going to suggest the inclusion of beer, wine or spirits. I am not strong enough to face another petition and plebiscite at the present time.)

Well, I guess you know now how I feel about fluoridation. Let us put as much stuff as we can in the water, and make it a truly useful household product.

And give Mrs. Arsens something more to talk about.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

A group of foreign students attending UBC toured naval installations at Esquimalt today, following a busy schedule Friday during which they met cabinet members, attended the Legislature, were banqueted in the First United Church hall and attended a play.

The visit of the 37 students was sponsored by the Friendly Relations to Overseas Students Council. They were from such places as South Korea, British West Indies and Latvia.

Mrs. Vera Jameson, 1040 St. Louis, and James Stewart, 747 Monterey each were fined \$35 in Oak Bay court Friday when convicted of careless driving February 17. Police said they were involved in a collision at Hampshire and McNeill, causing total of \$550 damage.

William Murray Gage, 636 Linklear, and James H. Woodend, 93 Metchoon Road, each were fined \$10 and \$3 costs in Colwood RCMP court today for failing to stop at stop signs.

Frederick William Grossklag, Lake Cowichan, was fined \$10 and \$3 costs in Colwood court when convicted of traveling more than 30 miles an hour in a zoned area.

Two men were fined \$35 and \$3 costs each for careless driving when they appeared in Colwood RCMP court this morning. Police said Kenneth Fow-

ler, Glen Lake, was in collision with another car at View Royal, and Dennis L. Westendale, 1198 Yates, ran into the rear end of a tractor on the trans-Canada highway. Both driver's licenses were endorsed.

City police will grant "no leeway" to motorists failing to carry 1955 auto licenses by March 1, deputy chief Harry Mercer said today.

He said traffic officers would also be keeping a close watch for commercial trucks being driven without mudflaps as required by amendment to the Motor Vehicle Act and effective March 1.

Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association meets Tuesday at 2 p.m., in Britannia Branch Legion. Membership cards or receipts will be required.

Marcel Portier, 451 Chester, was fined \$25 in Oak Bay court for not being in possession of a current driver's license.

A vat of melting paraffin ignited at the market farm of Harvey Lim, 4055 Cumberland at 5 p.m. Friday, sending two Saanich fire halls into action. Using CO2 and fog, firemen quenched the blaze before damage went beyond scorching a wall of the shed in which vegetables are wax-dipped to preserve them.

Education Minister Ray Wiliston showed slides illustrating the rapid expansion of B.C.'s north Friday at a meeting of the Beach Drive group of the Oak Bay Social Credit Association.

Constituency president C. Rice-Jones also addressed the group, which elected Arthur Knapp president, Roy Alton first vice-president, and C. W. Pomeroy second vice-president.

Bdr. Cecil L. Stanforth, 1382 Esquimalt Road, will be among 11 more Canadian soldiers to be flown to the Far East next month to replace men now serving on Indochina truce commission teams.

Bdr. Stanforth is scheduled to reach Saigon March 14.

Six Injured In Flurry Of Car Crashes

Colwood Corner Takes Toll

Five Victoria motorists and a pedestrian were given hospital treatment Friday afternoon and overnight after a flurry of minor accidents in various parts of Greater Victoria.

Gaye Jacobson, 21, 34 Brynmawr, and James A. Stewart, 57, 607 Michigan, were admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital with possible fractures after being involved in a two-car smash near Colwood Corner at 2:50 this morning.

Also admitted to hospital was pedestrian Charles Kenyon, 45, 2054 Carnarvon, who was in collision with a car at Lansdowne and Foul Bay as he got off a bus at 6:50 p.m. Jubilee Hospital reported him in satisfactory condition this morning, with a compound fracture of the left leg and head injuries.

Oak Bay police said driver of the car was Morley Baker, 2305 Eastdowne.

Driver and three passengers in a car driven by Steve Snyder, Happy Valley, were all hurt when the vehicle was in collision with a car driven by Stewart, but Snyder refused hospital treatment, Colwood RCMP said.

Stewart was reported in good condition this morning with facial abrasions and head injuries. Miss Jacobson is also in good condition with a cut chin, knee injury and a possible fractured arm.

Audrey Cole, 23, 830 Island Highway, was discharged after treatment for a leg abrasion, and James McLeod, 23, 289 Island Highway, also an occupant of the Snyder vehicle, was discharged after treatment for a cut forehead.

Snyder had a cut knee, bruised nose and elbow, but did not go to hospital.

LEFT HIGHWAY
Colwood RCMP said Stewart's car, in which he was alone, left the highway as he approached Colwood Corner from Sooke, bounced off the shoulder across the pavement and over to the left side, colliding with Snyder's car which was travelling in the opposite direction.

Estimated total damage to both cars was set at \$1,500.

St. Joseph's also treated R. Clayton, 1277 Oscar, for a hand injury sustained when his car was in collision with a city truck a Linden and Oscar, sending it into a third vehicle.



NAVIGATIONAL INSTRUCTION is one of the many phases of training carried out by future RCN officers aboard Ontario on her current training cruise. Lieut. S. I. Ker of Victoria, right, instructs Naval Cadet Robert Graham, Chester, N.S., in use of the compass on the bridge of the cruiser. (RCN Photo.)

Four New Buildings Get Underway Soon

Two apartments, a store and an office building shortly will add to building activity in Victoria.

A three-story, eight-suite apartment building will be erected by George H. Wheaton Ltd. on Satellite Avenue in Oak Bay at an estimated cost of \$75,000.

The building is being designed by architect John A. DiCastro and construction is scheduled to be started early this spring. Large glass areas will feature the apartments, relieved by light green stucco panels and projecting cedar horizontal.

Construction bids are about to be invited for erection of a plumbing and heating supply building for the firm of Alcock, Downing & Wright at the intersection of Government and Hillside, off the Fountain Circle.

Wade, Stockhill & Armour are architects for the project. Sidney Roofing & Paper Co. Ltd., have started second-floor extensions to their office building at the entrance to the Industrial Reserve plant on Johnson Street at cost of \$10,000. G. H. Wheaton Ltd. is the contractor.

Work has been started on a four-suite apartment job costing \$10,000 at 2880 Douglas Street. Mrs. K. Bourne is the owner and G. A. Roiston the contractor.

New Polio Inoculation Receives Big Response

Registration of children for Salk anti-polio vaccine has shown that 95 per cent of Victoria parents are anxious to have their children inoculated.

Final figures are not yet available as deadline for registration is March 1, but more than 1,200 parents have signed for their children in the city and about 300 in Oak Bay. In complete registration, there shows 98 per cent of parents have responded when cards were taken home by grade one pupils.

City health official Keith MacDonald said he had no figures yet on Saanich but that parents of pre-school children were generally signing up.

Salk vaccine, best known but at yet unproven polio preventative will be flown here by federal health authorities in April. Shortages make it necessary to distribute injections to only the worst affected age groups.

A free three-shot series will be given all five and six-year-olds who have permission of parents. First injections will be given at city schools during the week of April 18. Registration can be made by phoning public health nurses at 2-8286, but all school children have already been given cards for parents' signatures.

Bike Riders Fined
Two juveniles were each fined \$2 and \$3.50 costs in Colwood RCMP court today for riding bicycles three abreast on the highway at Belmont. Police said riding two abreast is permitted by law.

Laing Requests Fall Convention

1956 Labelled Election Year

Liberal Leader Arthur Laing revealed today he has asked for a provincial Liberal Party convention this fall.



ARTHUR LAING
... election coming.

SCHOOL BAND TAKES UNIQUE BUS JOURNEY

Forty-two members of the Powell River High School Band arrived in Victoria Friday night in the same bus in which they left home in the morning.

Black Ball Line officials, who arranged the trip via Powell River Stage Lines, believe it is the first time such a charter has been carried out.

The band traveled via three ferries and road to reach here for a concert at Mount View High School. It is returning today by the same route.

Island Art Show Has 130 Paintings

A three-man jury sorted through 130 paintings at Greater Victoria Arts Centre this morning in the fifth annual jury show open to Island competitors.

A prize of art supplies will be awarded the most promising student among competitors, and about half the entries will be hung for inspection next week.

Curator Colin Graham called the show the best yet, "largest number of paintings ever entered." He said the quality of Island art appears to be improving.

Judges were Dr. Richard Fuller, director of Seattle Art Museum; Fred Amess, principal Vancouver School of Art, and Robert Hume, sculptor and business manager of Vancouver Art Gallery.

MONDAY MEETINGS

Gyro Club: Empress Hotel, 6:30 p.m.
Duke of Kent Room, noon; color movie of "British Empire Games"; Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Attorney-General Robert Bonner, special guests.
Men's Canadian Club—Empress Hotel ballroom, 12:15 p.m.
Dental Society: Empress Hotel Charlotte and Albert room, 6:30 p.m.

SPONSORSHIP UNDECIDED

Chadwick Confirms 1955 Swim

Distance swimmer Florence Chadwick has confirmed her intention to attempt again to swim the chilly Strait of Juan de Fuca this year, according to B.A. Paint Company vice-president, Fred A. E. Manning.

He said today he phoned Miss Chadwick at New York while on a recent three-week business trip in the east.

Miss Chadwick looks on the crossing as a "personal feud" and is determined to try another crossing, "on her own" if necessary. He said also that Marilyn Bell may be induced to make a similar attempt.

Mr. Manning and Stuart Keate, Times publisher, principals in last year's Bapco-Times sponsorship, will visit Seattle soon to attempt to discuss swim sponsorship with the chambers of commerce of the Pacific Northwest.

Mr. Manning visited Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal during his three-week trip. He phoned Miss Chadwick in New York and quotes her as saying, "The Strait of Juan de Fuca is still a direct challenge. I feel it is a direct feud between the Strait and me."

She feels she can do it and is a much wiser girl as far as the Strait is concerned," he added.

Miss Chadwick is now in San Diego where she and her mother are opening a restaurant today. "She holds a special spot in her heart for Victoria and asked to be remembered to her many friends here," Mr. Manning stated.

He said that Miss Chadwick will fly to England in June for a swim, but she did not say whether it would be another channel swim. (She has already conquered the channel, both ways, several times.) It has been rumored that Marilyn Bell will also attempt the Dover-to-Calls crossing and a race may be shaping up.

The Bapco president also talked with Marilyn Bell's booking agent, Mike Pretty, in Toronto. Pretty said Marilyn, who is now incorporated and highly professional, has no definite plans for the summer.

"If satisfactory arrangements can be made, she can be induced to come here. She is very conscious of the challenge."

Conference theme is "These 100 Years and the Future" tying in with the 100th anniversary of the YWCA.

Provincial archivist Willard Ireland will be speaker at a Club Sirocco banquet this evening. Dancing will follow.

Sunday the girls will attend a service at Metropolitan United. They leave later in the day.

200 Hi-Y-Teen Club Girls In Convention in City

Annual convention of the YWCA Hi-Y-Teen Club opened here Friday with more than 200 girls from all parts of the province attending.

The convention was opened by Miss Shirley Main, teen-age director of the Victoria YWCA, and speakers scheduled today were Miss Clea Herman, Vancouver, and Mrs. K. O. Wright, Rev. L. Butler and Mrs. H. L. Smith, all of Victoria.

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Mr. Laing's request was made "within the last two weeks" to Sydney Smith, president of the B.C. Liberal Association, of Kamloops.

The B.C. Liberal leader predicted federal and provincial general elections in 1956, and said the party convention will hammer out an election platform.

"The people of British Columbia want to know what we will do when we assume power," he said.

The last Liberal convention in B.C. was held on April 8, 1953, about two months before the last provincial election.

Mr. Laing said a federal election is likely in '56 "because the Prime Minister would not want a federal election in a year when provincial-federal taxation agreements would have to be renewed."

(Existing agreements run out in 1957.)

He said a federal ballot would take 62 days from dissolution. "I predict Premier Bennett will go to the people before the federal vote, as we can have an election after 32 days," said Mr. Laing.

Mr. Laing said the premier would not contest a provincial election on "the very dangerous, division grounds that he is now pursuing for political purposes, to divide the people of B.C. from the rest of Canada."

He would not meet the people on a national basis," the Liberal party chieftain said.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—Can you tell me who was mayor of Toronto in 1935?—H.T.V.

A.—Yes, James Simpson. After a long career as alderman and controller, Mr. Simpson, a former newspaperman, found one of his tasks as mayor was to iron out a threat of a police force strike.

Q.—Will you please inform me what the following initials stand for?—W.D.

A.—G.B.E. is Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire; C.B. Companion of Honor; V.D. Volunteer Officers' Decoration; M.V.O. Member of the Royal Victoria Order; K.P. Knight of St. Patrick.

Q.—A few days ago I heard a man on the radio singing "A Wandering Minstrel I." Who wrote it?—V.L.

A.—It is from Act I of Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado" (1888). Gilbert was the author and, of course, Sullivan was the composer.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

Panel Discussion On Fluoridation Planned March 28

A panel discussion on fluoridation of public water supply will be held March 28 by the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club. The panel starts at 8 p.m. in the clubrooms, 904 Government Street.

Panel members will be Dr. E. Mahaffy, medical; Dr. W. W. McLuhan, dental; Professor E. Savannah, chemist; A. L. Meriman, layman, and Mrs. Lydia Arsens, MLA (SC—Victoria).

By STAN DAVISON

HEADLINES OF THE WEEK

LOAD FORESTRY PROBE TO START IN WEEK



FIERY GIBSON HAS LEGISLATURE IN UPROAR



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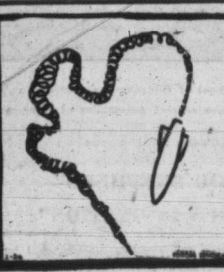
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EX-US.MARINE PLANS JUAN DE FUCA SWIM



DROODLES



"MISGUIDED MISSILE"

GO TO CHURCH during LENT

By LANCE H. WHITTAKER

The adjoining cartoon, published originally on the cover of the Pittsburgh Press "Family Magazine" has brewed a terrific storm of reader reaction in the United States.

In the words of Ralph Reichhold, press artist who created it, writing in the Scripps-Howard News which is the house-organ of S-H papers, "Letters came with every mail. Some good, some of the 'you cur' variety. But the adverse ones, without exception, conveyed the thought that 'this thing ain't funny. It's mighty serious.' Pastors and church school superintendents phoned kind words. Evidently a great many church bulletin boards were thumb-tacked with the Family Magazine cover on the Sunday after its appearance."

The cartoon depicts, in a graphic way, a situation which is giving serious concern to leaders of young people everywhere. It was precisely the dis-interest of parents which formed the bulk of the report on Christian education at this week's United Church presbytery meeting. The same problem was discussed at the presbytery of the Presbyterian Church.

The cartoon has been criticized by some on the grounds that there is nothing funny about it. The artist, of course, didn't mean it to be funny, and it isn't.

It is pointed satire aimed in the direction of many parents who seldom attend church themselves, but who do, with varying degrees of desire, want their children to go to Sunday school.

Hundreds Such Parents in Victoria

There are hundreds of parents in Victoria whose attitude to Sunday school is precisely that of the man in the cartoon. Examples could be quoted of children who attend the church school after getting their own breakfast, or without any breakfast whatever.

"Presbyterian Life," a publication of the church in the United States, built an editorial around the cartoon which it titled "Doting But Dazing."

Significant in this telling phrase is the implication that the dazing is not confined to Sunday morning. Such a parent is dazing on the whole future of his child.

Teachers Seen Constructive Answer

It was interesting to find in the deliberations of churchmen this week that little time was wasted blaming the parents. Plans were laid instead for a positive approach by the Sunday school teachers themselves, who discussed ways and means to bring dads and mothers within the orbit of the church school. In many churches, Sunday school teachers will carry out their own visitation campaign to become acquainted with parents of their pupils. Other churches are planning Sunday school activities specifically geared at giving dad and mother some conception of what the school is trying to do, and its importance in the building of character.

For these activities we ask the enthusiastic co-operation and understanding of parents. It is not necessary to give a child an adequate background for a religious faith in an instruction period of less than an hour a week, but with the co-operation of the entire family, that instruction period can become something more than just a gesture.

NEWS OF CITY CHURCHES

Laymen to Take Service In Oak Bay United Sunday

Laymen's Sunday will be observed in Oak Bay United Church, the speaker being Willard E. Ireland and his subject "The Keys of the Kingdom." The Men's Club will be in attendance and President A. R. C. Hebdon will participate in the service. At the morning service Dr. W. W. McPherson will deliver a series of Lenten talks.

At First United Church-Rev. Frank Johnson will preach at both services on Sunday. In the morning his subject will be "Life in a Cave." In the evening he will preach on the subject "The Starved Soul."

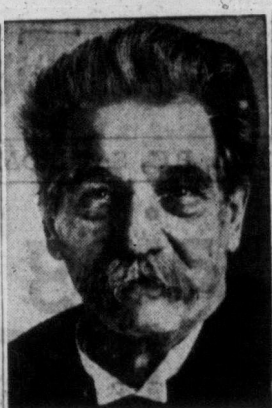
Members of the Hi-Y Teens in conference and the Elks Own Cubs and Scouts will attend the morning service at Metropolitan United Church Sunday. Dr. F. E. H. James will preach at both services, his subject in the morning being "Teach Us to Pray," and in the evening "Almost a Christian."

At Centennial United Church Sunday the minister, Rev. Douglas B. Carr, will preach at both services. His sermon subject for the morning service will be "I Am the Vine," third in the series; "The Great 'I Am's' of Jesus." At the evening service Mr. Carr will preach on "Glances of Greatness."

At St. John's Anglican Church Sunday at 11 a.m., Canon Biddle will broadcast over CKDA. At 7.30 p.m., the preacher will be Vincent Craven of Toronto. There will be a service of Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. Sunday schools are at 11 a.m. Frederick Chubb will play organ preludes from 7.10 p.m. The midweek service on Wednesday at 8 p.m. will be in the parish hall.

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn will conduct services in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, Sunday commencing with Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. Matins and sermon will be held at 11 a.m., and Evensong at 8 p.m. In Carnarvon Church Hall Holy Communion will be held at 8 a.m., and Sunday school at 11 a.m. There will be a Lenten service Wednesday at 8 p.m.

The services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday will be conducted by Rev. Edgar Foreman, D.D. The morning sermon subject will be "The New Song," and in the evening Dr. Foreman will speak on "The Promise of God." The beginners and primary departments of the Sunday school meet at 11 o'clock, and the senior department at 9.45. The mid-week meeting for



Schweitzer Honored By Queen

LONDON (Reuters) — Queen Elizabeth has made Dr. Albert Schweitzer, the French philosopher and humanitarian, an honorary member of the Order of Merit—one of the highest awards the monarch can bestow—it was announced Friday night.

The order is limited to 24 members, with special provision for honorary membership for foreigners.

President Eisenhower is the only other foreign member.

United Church Wants End to Train-Bars

TORONTO (BUP) — All provinces which license transcontinental trains to serve liquor will be asked by the United Church of Canada to cancel the rights.

A resolution approved Friday at the annual meeting of the church's board of evangelism and social service said "scenes of carousing, lewd talk and other undesirable forms of behaviour" had been noted in railway club cars where drinks were served.

Band Week-End Featured at Esquimalt SA

Band Week-End will be featured at the Salvation Army Esquimalt Citadel today and Sunday.

Opening feature will be a musical program at 8 o'clock tonight by Maj. Cyril Everett, ATCM, of Vancouver, organist and pianist, and Mrs. Maj. Everett, soprano. The two will also conduct Sunday services at the Citadel at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Girl Guides and Brownies are invited to the morning service, which will feature special music by the band, songsters and visiting artists.

Friday—next at 8 p.m. there will be Young People's Demonstration, to which parents are invited.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRISTADELPHIAN
CHRISTADELPHIAN Orange Hall, 725 Courtney Street Sunday morning, 11 o'clock. Secretary, 4-3293.

GOSPEL HALLS
VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL, 103 Pandora Avenue
11 a.m.—Worship and Breaking of Bread.
9.30 a.m.—Sunday School. Speaker, Mr. 7.30 p.m.—Gospel service. Speaker, Mr. Mun Hope.

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Mr. Hope will give an illustrated account of his work around Abitibi, B.C. Thursday, 8 p.m.—The Children's Hour. Friday, 7.30 p.m.—The Children's Hour. All are welcome.

OAKLAND GOSPEL HALL, corner Hillside and Cedar Hill Roads.
Sunday—
10.00 a.m.—Sunday school and Bible classes.
11.30 a.m.—Worship: Breaking of Bread.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel service. Speaker, Mr. J. Bryden.

BETHESDA GOSPEL CHAPEL (cor. Oak Bay Avenue and Davis Street).
Sunday—
10.00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11.30 a.m.—Worship and Breaking of Bread.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel meeting. Speaker, Mr. Raymond Allen.

Wednesday—
8.00 p.m.—Pictures, with message by Mr. Mun Hope.
Friday—
7.00 p.m.—Hobbies and games for boys and girls.

QUADRA BIBLE CHAPEL, Telmire Avenue and Jackson Street.
Sunday—
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Speaker: Dr. R. P. Sutherland.
12 noon, Worship and Breaking of Bread.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service. Speaker: Dr. R. P. Sutherland.

Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer and Ministry Meeting.
Thursday, 2.45 p.m., Women's Meeting.
Friday, 8.45 p.m., Children's Story-time Hour; 9 p.m., Young People.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF Latter Day Saints, 802 Esquimalt Road. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; evening service, 7.30 o'clock. Phone 4-1377. Everyone welcome.

LUTHERAN
HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH (Mo-Sydney) "A church of the Lutheran Home" Chambers Street and Princess Avenue (off Cook). Sunday school, 10 a.m. morning service, 11 a.m. Adult church membership and Bible class, 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, March 2, Lenten service, 7.30 p.m. C. C. Janow, pastor, 3-5539.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS
SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKERS), 1321 First Street, off Port. Sunday meeting for worship, 11 a.m. Visitors are welcome.

SPIRITUALIST
OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, 1600 Cook Street. Sunday, 11 a.m., morning worship and Sunday school; 2.15 p.m., sing-along; 7.30 p.m., "Self After Death." Thursday, 8 p.m., spiritual healing and greetings. "Beware of False Prophecy," Matt. 7:15.

THE FIRST UNITED SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, Sunday, Feb. 27, 7.30 p.m., Orange Hall, 725 Courtney Street. Guest speaker, Rev. E. Whitten, soloist, Mrs. McDonald; accompanist, Mrs. Hord. Message and healing meeting at 3.30. A welcome to all.

MISSION
LAKE HILL MISSION, PALMOUTH AND Savannah Avenue. Sunday school, 10.00 a.m.; morning worship, 11.00 a.m.; un-denominational.

UNITED CHURCHES
Wilkinson Road. Rev. E. J. Staley, Minister. Service, 11.15 A.M.

Huron College Head to Conduct Noon Worship

The calendar of Lenten services in Christ Church Cathedral, which began on Ash Wednesday, will lead up to the traditional observance of Holy Week, when the noonday services, so long known to members of the cathedral parish, will be conducted by Rev. W. R. Coleman, M.A., STM, DD. These last from 12.15 to 12.40.

On Good Friday the three-hour service, noon till 3 p.m., also will be conducted by Dr. Coleman, who is principal of Huron College, London, Ont., the theological college of the Anglican Church in the Diocese of Huron, affiliated with the University of Western Ontario. Dr. Coleman is widely known in ecclesiastical circles of Canada and will make the long journey to share with Anglicans of the B.C. coast their observance of Lent. During the week before Holy Week he will be in Vancouver, participating in Christ Church Cathedral services there.

In addition to the other services in the cathedral here there will be Communion on every day in Lent with the exception of Good Friday, on which day by tradition it is never celebrated.

'None Shall Thirst' Shows at Vic West

"None Shall Thirst" a recently-completed film on mission work in India was enthusiastically received at Fairfield United Church Friday evening and will be shown Sunday evening at Vic West United Church.

Based on life in an Indian village, and centred around the village well, the film was directed by the Rev. A. E. Moorehouse of the United Church of Canada.

The Victoria West showing, Sunday evening at 7.30, is the second in a series of evening services at the church. The program will be rounded out with the singing of gospel hymns.

United Church Asks Gambling Boycott

TORONTO (BUP) — For the third straight year, the board of evangelism and social service of the United Church of Canada also called on church members to boycott bingo, raffles and lotteries and participate in "more socially constructive" ways of raising funds. Every form of gambling is increasing in Canada, the board said.

BELMONT AVENUE UNITED

Corner Belmont Ave. and Pembroke. Minister: Rev. M. Dobson, B.A. Sunday School: Senior 9.45 a.m.; Primary 11.00 a.m.

11.00 a.m.—"Lay Me Upon the Stone Before You Build." Minister: Rev. J. C. Hamlett.

7.15 p.m.—Gospel Song Service. 7.30 p.m.—"The Church Club." Preacher: Mr. C. Hamlett.

8.30 p.m.—"Fellowship Hour," by the Fidelity Circle.

Wednesday—Midweek Gospel Service, 7.45 p.m.

Oak Bay United Church
Hillside and Grand.
Minister: W. W. McPherson, M.A., D.D. Director of Music: Vera Barclay.

11.00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11.30 a.m.—Lenten Talk: "Christ's Moral Repelings." 7.30 p.m.—Lenten service. Speaker: Mr. W. E. Ireland.

Topic: "The Keys of the Kingdom." 9.45 a.m.—Senior School, Grade 4 and up. 11.00 a.m.—Junior School, 4 years to Grade 2.

St. Aidan's United Church
Richmond and Cedar Hill Roads.
Minister: Rev. J. Lynn Christie. Organist: Choir Leader: Margaret M. Vaughan. L.R.S.M. Mus. G. (Paed.)

9.45 a.m.—Sunday School. 11.00 a.m.—Worship. 7.30 p.m.—Worship. The Minister will preach.

Fairfield United Church
Fairfield and Moss.
Minister: Rev. Tom Haythorne, B.A. Music Director: Rodney Webster, A.R.C.T. Organist: Mrs. Rodney Webster, L.R.S.M.

LAY SUNDAY
11.00 a.m.—Men's Club in Charge. Speaker: David Oliphant. Subject: "Bible and Science." Soloist: Mr. Roger Gray. Quartet: Heather Gray, Horwood, Ireland, Smith.

7.30 p.m.—"What Are You Doing Now?" Soloist: Mrs. R. Webster. Anthem: "Lead Me Lord" (Wesley).

Esquimalt United Church
Admiral Road at Lyall.
Minister: Rev. Douglas R. Filley, B.A. Morning Worship, 11.00 a.m. "BE YE LOVELY!" 7.30 p.m. The Journey of Life, No. 1, "Setting Out." Sunday School, 9.30 a.m. Director of Music: Margaret Dixon, A.T.C.M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Quadra at Meares.
Rev. G. R. Easter, B.A., B-Th., Pastor. Mr. Oliver Stout, Organist and Choir Director. Church Schools: Senior and Junior 10.00; Primary and Beginners 11.00.

11.00—"When Life Tumbles In." Soloist: Mrs. C. Lee. 6.30 p.m.—Young People's Discussion Group. "Why I Believe in God." Conducted by Professor D. McFay of Victoria College. Illustrated Song Service beginning at 7.30.

CENTRAL BAPTIST
We Preach Christ Crucified, Risen and Coming Again. Dr. J. B. ROWELL, Pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 9.45 a.m.

11.00 a.m.—Special Message by Mr. Vincent Craven "THE ANSWER TO YOUTH." Your Youth Today—Christ or Confusion? 7.30 p.m.—Vital Subject—Can a Soul Be Saved Between Unconsciousness and Death? What Can Be Experienced in the Subconscious Mind? Young People's "FELLOWSHIP HOUR" at 8 o'clock.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Downtown—Douglas Street at Beechcroft. Rev. J. L. W. McLean, M.A., D.D. Organist and Choirmaster: C. G. Warren. L.R.S.M. A.T.C.M. 11.00 a.m.—"THE NEW SONG." 7.30 p.m.—"THE PROMISES OF GOD." REV. EDGAR FOREMAN, D.D. WE WELCOME VISITORS.



GUEST ARTIST at the annual pre-Easter sacred recital in the Church of Our Lord, Sunday, March 6, will be Carol McCartney, violinist, assistant concertmaster of the Victoria Symphony Concert. Miss McCartney will play Handel's "Sonata in G Minor" and the Bach "Violin Fugue in D Minor." J. Ingram Smith, organist, will play music by Karg-Elert, Cesar Franck, C. M. Widor and J. Rheinberger.

Langford Baptist Church to Show Mission Movies

Sound motion pictures in color will be presented at Langford Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7.30 by the China Inland Mission.

Title of the film, "Power of Earth," depicts the new outreach in the Far East, Formosa, Malaya, Thailand, Indonesia, the Philippines.

Mr. Walter Jepperson, northwest district secretary of China Inland Mission, will speak.

A special invitation is extended to all residents of Langford to attend.

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
PANDORA AT QUADRA.
Minister: Rev. F. E. H. James, B.A., B.D., D.D. Asst. Minister: Rev. S. Laura Butler, B.A., S.T.B. Director of Music: Mr. Charles Palmer, (M.A. Oxon).

11.00 a.m.—"Lord, Teach Us to Pray" Church Parade of the Hi-Y TEENS (Y.W.C.A.) Conference, and ELKS OWN CUBS and SCOUTS. 2.30 p.m.—

Sacrament of Baptism "Almost a Christian." Dr. F. E. H. James. Preacher at both services. Church School and Nursery as usual at 9.45 and 11.00 a.m. WE WELCOME VISITORS.

First United Church
Corner Quadra St. and Balmora Rd. Rev. M. A. J. Waters, B.A., B.D. Assistant Minister: Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberto Wood. Director of Music.

11.00 a.m.—"LIFE IN A CAVE." 7.30 p.m.—"THE STARVED SOUL." Soloist: Janet Swinman. Rev. Frank Johnson at both services.

Sunday School—Intermediate and Senior Departments, 9.30 a.m. Junior, Primary, Beginner and Nursery Depts. (9-11) 11.00 a.m. This church is fitted with Hearing Aids. ALL ARE WELCOME.

Centennial United Church
Gorge Road near Government St. Minister: Rev. Douglas B. Carr, B.A., B.D. Director of Music: Peter Copeland. Organist: Margaret Wilshaw.

11.00 a.m.—"I AM THE VINE." Third in Series: The Great "I Am's" of Jesus. 7.30 p.m.—"GLIMPSES OF GREATNESS." 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Nursery. ALL ARE WELCOME.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Fernwood at Gladstone. Rev. James E. Smith, B.A., Minister. 11.00 a.m.—"The Resurrection of Faith." Broadcast over CTV. 7.30 p.m.—"The Town's Prefigure." Series: "Little Word Pictures of People." Extra Music by the Choir.

Vancouver Trip Awarded To SS Contest Winners

Twelve youthful contest winners at Glad Tidings Tabernacle will fly to Vancouver for a one-day visit. Their Sunday School class won a 20,000-mile race.

The race was actually run on paper. Each class was given mileage for punctuality, attendance, new members and lesson preparation. The winners, all 13-year-old boys, mushed beyond the finish line for a total of 20,560 miles. Twelve-year-old girls plodded along in their wake for 19,540 miles.

Ten classes took part in the race, which took eight weeks to complete. The winners will travel with Ralph Meakes, superintendent of the Junior-Intermediate Department, and Mrs. Edna Vincent, teacher of the winners.

Lenten Quiet Day Planned By Anglicans

Greater Victoria Anglican Sunday School Teachers' Association will meet Tuesday at 6 p.m. in the Cathedral Memorial Hall.

Speaker will be Rev. R. E. F. "Prayer," whose subject will be "Prayer."

The association has arranged a Lenten observance to take the form of a "Quiet Day" in Christ Church Cathedral Saturday, March 12, when the conductor will be Rev. Brian Page, rector of Duncan. All adults are invited to the Quiet Day, which will open with Holy Communion and end with Evensong.

Meals will be provided at the Memorial Hall throughout the day.

Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral
Rockland and Quadra.
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9.30 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m.—Matins and Sermon. Preacher: THE DEAN.

7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon. Preacher: THE DEAN. THE EPISTLE OF ST. PAUL TO THE ROMANS. I—"PAUL AND HIS LETTERS." 7.30 p.m.—Evensong, James Bay Hall, Niagara Street.

Preacher: THE REV. G. W. LANG. WEEKDAY SERVICES. Holy Communion: Monday, 10.00 a.m.; Tuesday, 7.30 a.m. and 11.00 a.m.; Wednesday, 9.00 a.m.; Thursday, 7.30 a.m.; Friday, 12.15 noon, Saturday, 10.00 a.m.

LITANY, EVENSONG AND ADDRESSES: Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Preacher: THE REV. G. W. LANG. "THE WHOLE FAITH FOR THE WHOLE WORLD." II—"THE WHOLE FELLOWSHIP." James Bay Lenten Service. Thursday, 7.30 p.m. Children's Lenten Service. Friday, 3.45 p.m. Matins and Evensong at 9.00 a.m. Evensong each weekday at 5.00 p.m. The Very Rev. P. R. Beattie, D.D. Dean and Rector.

ST. JOHN'S
Quadra, Near Pandora.
8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m.—BROADCAST SERVICE (CKDA 1280).

7.10 p.m.—Organ Preludes. Frederick Chubb, B.A., Mus.Bac., F.R.C.O. Introduction, Passacaglia and Pique. "Road to Damascus."

* 7.30 p.m.—VINCENT CRAVEN of Toronto. Sunday Schools, 11.00 a.m. Canon Biddle at all services. Wednesday, March 2, 8.00 p.m. "Road to Damascus." Sound Picture by J. Arthur Rank in the Parish Hall.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Elgin Road, Oak Bay.
Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m. Matins and Sermon, 11.00 a.m. Evensong and Sermon, 7.00 p.m. Preacher: The Rector. Sunday School—Senior, 9.45 a.m. Pre-Primary, Primary and Junior, 11.00 a.m.

Carnarvon Church Hall
Maynard Rd., Cadboro Bay.
1st SUNDAY IN LENT. Holy Communion, 8.00 a.m. Sunday School, 11.00 a.m.

S. George the Martyr
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11.00 a.m.—Matins and Sermon. "THE VOICE OF THE PROPHETS." 3.00 p.m.—Rector's Teen-Age Class. 7.15 p.m.—Organ Preludes. Mr. Philip Hughes, Mus.Bac. 7.30 p.m.—Lenten Service. "PREACHING THE SCRIPTURES." Preacher: Morning and Evening. REV. WILLIAM HILLS.

ST. BARNABAS'
Balmoret and Beagle. 1st SUNDAY IN LENT. 8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m.—Gung Mass. 7.30 p.m.—Evensong. Weds., Stations of the Cross, 7.30 p.m. Holy Communion daily, 7.30, except Wed. 8.00 and Friday 9.30. Rev. T. Bailey. Rev. H. E. Whitehead.

ALL SAINTS' VIEW ROYAL
(Corner Palliser and Stewart, turn left at Community Hall). 8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m.—Matins and Sermon. "THE VOICE OF THE PROPHETS." 3.00 p.m.—Rector's Teen-Age Class. 7.15 p.m.—Organ Preludes. Mr. Philip Hughes, Mus.Bac. 7.30 p.m.—Lenten Service. "PREACHING THE SCRIPTURES." Preacher: Morning and Evening. REV. WILLIAM HILLS.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Pandora and Vancouver. Sunday, February 27, 7.30 p.m. Welcome.

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Does Grace Supersede the Law? What can a man preach without the law? Do not let prejudice or indifference keep you from hearing this subject.

at the SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH. Pandora and Vancouver. Sunday, February 27, 7.30 p.m. Welcome.

BRITISH-ISRAEL WORLD FEDERATION
Victoria Office and Book Room (Room 2) 728 Port Street. Phone 4-7081. Tuesday, March 1, 8.00 p.m., Newstead Hall, 734 Fort St. THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF MODERN TIMES. Is the identity of the British race with Israel? New evidence will be given by MRS. G. E. ALTREE COLEY. Tune COB (600) every Sunday at 9.15 a.m. for broadcast by REV. E. J. SPRINGETT. (Note new time.)

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Grace Lutheran Church

"The Church of All Nations" Sunday School, 9.45 a.m. The Service, 11.00 a.m. Meeting in the Y.M.C.A., 1203 Blanshard. Rev. Paul A. Roth, Pastor.

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian Hall Blanshard at Kings. Public Lecture—7.30 p.m. Subject: "HELL FIRE ACCORDING TO THE BIBLE." Morning Meeting, 11 o'clock. Sunday School, 9.45 a.m. You Are Sincerely Welcome.

The Salvation Army

VICTORIA CITADEL, 737 Pandora Avenue. Major W. Oakley. 11.00 a.m.—"That Blessed Fullness." 7.30 p.m.—"Becoming Cross Conscious." Members of Victoria Kiwanis Club will attend this service. Citadel Band and Songsters in attendance with a musical after-glow following evening service. ALL WELCOME.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD

Reformed Episcopal. Humboldt and Blanshard Streets. Rev. J. G. Brown, M.A., D.D. 11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. 7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE

(Now Worshipping in the Norway House) 1118 Hillside Avenue. SUNDAY SCHOOL, for all ages, 1.3

of interest to Women

Victoria Daily Times SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1955 19

Give... To the Red Cross

In the forthcoming month-long campaign for funds—the objective is \$74,000—Victoria City and District Branch, Canadian Red Cross Society, is again depending largely on women volunteers to conduct a house-to-house canvass in the residential districts for a substantial part of its gross collections. Many volunteers have been marshaled for this purpose and will start immediately the drive gets under way on Tuesday, March 1. Officials in charge of the campaign are very happy over the response they have received in their request for group captains and section leaders for this residential division. Organization is now complete and every woman canvasser is ready and waiting to go.

Photos By
BILL HALKETT



Arranging card games, assisting at concerts and sing-songs, manning a canteen are all in the day's work for volunteer Red Cross workers. Mrs. D. G. Sterling, left and Mrs. W. C. Hudson, two of a large group of women who help at the Red Cross Lodge during the year. Card players are Sam Webb, S. Flindt and J. G. Johnson, a trio of veterans who find many comforts of a "home away from home" in the Red Cross Lodge.

This year the region to be covered in the residential canvass is divided into 43 units in Victoria City, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt. Outside units include Colwood, Metchosin, Deep Cove-Sidney, James Island, Salt Spring and other Gulf Islands, Jordan River and Sooke.

The same spirit which made the women's part of the campaign an outstanding success last year is once again evident in the current drive.

Arranged By
ELIZABETH FORBES
Women's Editor



Mrs. Byron Johnson is captain of the Oak Bay Women's Group that will be active in the campaign for funds. In the background is the entrance to Red Cross Lodge at Veterans' Hospital, an active unit that is manned by volunteer women helpers the year round.



Mrs. Joyce Rolfe, top; Mrs. H. E. Woodhouse, centre, and Mrs. S. Jefferson are members of the Red Cross Corps, a band of volunteers trained in teams for disaster and stretcher work, transport and first aid. They are on call 24 hours a day and for any emergency at Red Cross headquarters in Victoria.

Watch for the Big Red Cross

When the canvasser knocks on your door be ready and waiting to give your donation, large or small. Don't have her knock... and knock... and turn away. Remember, she has a good many homes to visit in the next month.



During the annual drive for funds many volunteer women workers assist members of the Red Cross in campaign work. Mrs. Rose Gleason, second from the left, is captain of a women's group in the Gorge district, who will be working through the campaign month of March. Others in this group include, left to right, Mrs. H. J. Bowles, Mrs. Harry Ward and Mrs. T. O. White.



The women's group in View Royal district is being captained by Mrs. Duncan McTavish, standing, second from right. Among others in her group are, left to right, Mrs. G. R. Reynolds, Mrs. L. P. Walton, Mrs. D. O. T. Rochfort, Miss Muriel Walker, and, seated, Mrs. R. G. Pearce. Among these various district groups the annual drive for funds is planned down to the last detail before any one of the helpers sets forth to visit homes in districts they represent.

SHOPPING GUIDE

You Can Putter Prettily In Clever Two-Tone Set

By PENNY SAVER

For just lounging or for putting around the house or garden, I've found a clever little outfit that will appeal to you. It's a set made up of a sleeveless pullover shirt with a cowl neckline and tiny tie belts on either side, contrasted with black tuxedo pants with matching ties at the bottom. They're made of a soft velveteen corduroy, the tops in either red or yellow, and they're as cute as can be. How much? \$14.95... real sweet-looking, too.

For \$1.98 you can buy some of the smartest of spring belts. Plastic composition creations with novelty buckles are really casting their spell on people this year. There's a selection of the black, tan, red or pink ones with a hook-thru buckle, and red and tan ones with bow-and-arrow buckles in a sturdy metal-looking material that will show off your slacks or skirts. For that price you can afford to buy a couple to supplement your wardrobe, and possibly give the "old standby" skirt a new lease on life. If you can match a belt as closely as possible to the shade of your shoes, it's a smart idea... good clothes sense.

For your new purse, why not choose one of the attractive plastic ones, say in black, to match your pair of leather pumps. The shiny, shiny plastic looks just like expensive patent leather, but it's ever so economical. I found a really handsome clutch bag that has a small handle on the side that will carry all the essentials of a woman's purse yet isn't too big... just right. The price is just right, too—\$1.98. This same bag comes in a bronze metal shade, and would beautifully set off the browns or greens in your wardrobe.

I got a wonderful idea for snacks at the Seagram's reception the other night. Take shrimps and place them on

UNA Executive Member Canadian Club Speaker

Herbert Mowat will discuss Canadian-American relations at a meeting of Victoria Women's Canadian Club in the Empress Hotel, Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Mr. Mowat has been closely allied with the United Nations Association for the past eight years. He did liaison work at Lake Success in connection with the world committee for Palestine for two years. At present he is a member of the national executive of the United Nations Association in Canada and chairman of the speakers' panel for the Toronto Board of the UNA. He makes frequent trips to New York and to United Nations headquarters and is closely in touch with develop-

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Reception for Denise Mara

Following her piano recital next Wednesday evening at the Arts Centre, Miss Denise Mara will be guest of honor at a reception being held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Johns, Somass Drive. The Victoria Chapter of the Royal Conservatory of Music Alumni, who are sponsoring the concert, have extended invitations to the following: Mrs. F. D. Mara, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Gruber, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English, Madame W. Lugin Fahey, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Hickman, Mrs. William Ellis, Miss Elsie Friend, Capt. and Mrs. Maurice Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Morrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Field, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ian McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. James Gerry, Miss Gwen Scott, Miss Una Calvert, Mrs. Alan Wyllie, Miss Caro Wyllie, Miss Nora Haimburger, Miss Marjorie Tebo, and Mr. Charles Palmer and Mrs. F. C. Saunders and Miss O. Grant, of Vancouver, and Mr. Jan Cherniavski.

Mrs. Maurice Chandler will assist Dr. and Mrs. Johns in receiving the guests and presiding at the refreshment table will be Mrs. Arthur Bates and Miss Noel Smith. Servitors will be Mrs. Howard Denike, Mrs. Gordon Wallis, Mrs. C. Preston, Misses Helen Gibson, Fernie Rath and Marjorie Vaughn.

Receiving Reception Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English and Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Roxburgh will assist Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts to receive guests at a reception arranged by the Women's Committee of the Victoria Symphony Society in the Roberts home on Foul Bay Road following the concert in the Royal Theatre.

Presiding at the refreshment table will be Mrs. Wilfred Lund and Mrs. Jack Barraclough and acting as servitors will be Miss Marianne Fraser, Mrs. Gerald Worthington Lake, Mrs. William McGill, Mrs. Jack McIntosh and Mrs. Walter Stenner.

Elizabeth Laubach Feted

Mrs. Mark Zabel and Mrs. B. Warrinder were co-hostesses recently at the Eastdown Road home of the former at a miscellaneous shower honoring bride-elect Elizabeth Laubach. Former classmates from the Royal Jubilee Hospital School of Nursing were present. A corsage of pink carnations was presented to the guest of honor. Among invited guests were Mrs. R. Hemeon, Mrs. G. Hartley, Mrs. J. Sanders, Mrs. M. Lewis, Mrs. D. Ashby, Mrs. M. Matcham and Miss G. Ballard.

Gifts for Flora Fennell

Honoring March bride-elect Miss Flora Fennell, Mrs. S. J. Sweeney and Mrs. H. Sweeney co-hosted a shower at the Hollywood Crescent home of the latter. A pink and white trimmed basket concealed the gifts. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of red roses, while her mother, Mrs. E. A. Hunt, and her grandmother, Mrs. Mainprize, received one of pink and white carnations. Guests enjoyed a buffet supper. Among those present were Mrs. R. Waring, Mrs. C. Olmstead, Mrs. J. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson, Jr., Mrs. G. Taylor, Mrs. D. Porteous, Mrs. F. Mitchell, Mrs. P. C. Pike, Mrs. M. Shade, Mrs. Aikens and Miss Beverly Sweeney.

Salt Spring Island Notes

Mrs. Norman Wilson and her daughter, Miss Bride Wilson of Scott Road, Ganges, will leave March 25 aboard the Swedish freighter Lakemba en route to Australia, where they will spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Malley and their children. Mrs. Malley is the former Shirley Wilson. To honor at the home of Mrs. A. Wilson, Ganges, Mrs. Wilson was assisted by Mrs. M. S. Layard and Mrs. A. Wolfe-Milner. Gifts were presented to the guests of honor from a model ship drawn into the room by Patty Wilson and Brian Wolfe-Milner.

Major and Mrs. Z. W. Kropinski of Upper Ganges Road are in Vancouver this week combining a business trip with visiting their friends in the mainland city.

Mrs. V. Pipes of Victoria was guest of honor Tuesday at a luncheon given by the W.A. to the Social Credit League of Salt Spring Island, at the home of Mrs. Scot Clarke, Ganges. Mrs. F. Sharpe, president, presented a corsage bouquet to Mrs. Pipes, who is second vice-president of the Provincial W.A. to the Social Credit League, and also introduced Mrs. Conroy of the Saanich W.A.

Wedding in Vancouver

The engagement is announced of Miss Marilyn June Hill, only daughter of Mrs. John Lay, Seattle, and the late Dr. Elmer James Hill, Vancouver, to Mr. Austin Thomas Ray Jones, Vancouver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis Jones of Victoria, formerly of Moose Jaw, Sask. The wedding will take place in Ryerson United Church, Vancouver, on Saturday, April 9, at 8 p.m., with Rev. Matthew W. Stevenson officiating. A 1954 graduate of St. Paul's Hospital School of Nursing, Vancouver, Miss Hill is now on the staff of Virginia Mason Hospital, Seattle. She was active with Vancouver Junior Symphony for a number of years. Attendants at the wedding will be Miss Cheryl McBride, Seattle, maid of honor; Mrs. Victor Carvell, of Vancouver, cousin of the bride, matron of honor; Mrs. J. J. Norman, Godfrey, Vancouver, bridesmaid, and Miss Shirley Jones, Victoria, sister of the groom-elect, the bridesmaid. Miss Frank Jones, Victoria, the groom-elect's brother, will be best man and Mr. Donald Knight, Mr. Lyle Kehoe and Mr. Robert Fuller, all of Vancouver, the ushers.

In Step With Style

By NONA DAMASKE

Spring is here and with the new "elongated" look. In suits, the longer jacket, box style, or semi-fitted waistline, add to this elongated effect.

Many of the box jacket suits are shown with fine silk blouses matching the jacket lining. I saw a suit in cream cashmere with a Shantung silk blouse and lining in cream with a gay pattern of color. County Sports of England bring us the sailor collared middie suit in grey all-wool jersey with an over-pattern of fine black lines.

A full bloused-back suit, also by County Sports with a large softly draped shawl collar in a shade called Stone.

Coats, for the most part, have a long, slim line... but not pencil line. There is fullness but it falls straight. Crombie



Nona

cameo hair in natural shade was used in an outstanding coat which had sunburst tucking from the neckline over the shoulder almost to the waistline. A notched collar and push-up sleeves give the casual air to this superb coat. Louis Schrier of Montreal used English Blin and Blin in a caramel shade to fashion a travel coat which had a luxurious collar of bleached fox. A white Linton slip-on coat has dramatic horizontal stripes of black.

In preview showing of spring's newest styles—soon to be ready for you—I've seen knee-length coats in subtle toned tweed mixtures and short coats in gay vivid colors.

Beautiful leather bags, too, from Florence, Italy. A huge one in Italian Golden Calf with white saddle stitching has an outside purse for quick access to lipstick and small change. And don't forget the slim Jim umbrellas with crocheted covers called Poodle Puffs.

Mules in long-haired lambs wool with two-button eyes come in watermelon pink, Royal blue, yellow and white and are washable.

Hundreds of soft Liberty silk squares which remain bright and beautiful over the years.

Handkerchiefs from Switzerland, soft cashmere sweaters from Scotland and perfume from France.

It seemed to me there was something from every corner of the world and for awhile I was mentally carried away to distant places. As a matter of fact I stayed until the lights were out and the key was in the door.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. L.A.—You ask me to tell you what shade may be called Ombre? It is a shaded or graduated color, usually going from light to dark tones. Colors in one range, as from cream to darkest brown or from flesh to darkest red.



Joan Edgar is perfectly dressed for the early spring days in a nubby-tweed suit by Silhouette of London. The royal blue tweed has fine flecks of shocking pink and pale turquoise. The long line box jacket is lined with clipped lamb and the skirt is slim and straight. A perfect match for Joan's suit is the Royal Blue cloche by Lock of London. A red shoulder bag in English morocco and Kislav gloves with leather palms and stringbags complete the ensemble. Again Ford's new Thunderbird makes a perfect background for Joan's ensemble.

Toastmistresses Question Whether Women Weaker Sex

At meeting of Arbutus Toastmistress Club recently, table topic "Are Women the Stronger Sex?" was presented by Mrs. C. Patterson, president.

Club Women's News

Beta Sigma Phi—Guest speaker at Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, meeting recently was Mrs. M. Gordon, cultural adviser for all Victoria chapters of the sorority. She was introduced by Mrs. Philip Jean and spoke on the subject, "Nature's Landscape." She illustrated her talk by showing pictures and made floral arrangements in Oriental theme. The chapter welcomed back their social sponsor, Mrs. Ernest Smith, who has returned from a trip to the east.

Dance Planned—A St. Patrick's Day dance will be held at K of P Hall, March 12, it was decided at a meeting of Xi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, held at home of Miss Ruth Timmick. Miss Aileen Lee is convener. Standing committee reports were given. Following the meeting, Mrs. Greta Hill was honored with a miscellaneous shower and presented with a corsage of yellow roses. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

If you're in a hurry and want a number of years. Attendants at the wedding will be Miss Cheryl McBride, Seattle, maid of honor; Mrs. Victor Carvell, of Vancouver, cousin of the bride, matron of honor; Mrs. J. J. Norman, Godfrey, Vancouver, bridesmaid, and Miss Shirley Jones, Victoria, sister of the groom-elect, the bridesmaid. Miss Frank Jones, Victoria, the groom-elect's brother, will be best man and Mr. Donald Knight, Mr. Lyle Kehoe and Mr. Robert Fuller, all of Vancouver, the ushers.

Inspiration was read by Mrs. T. Ackerman. Speakers introduced were Mrs. L. F. Rush, who spoke on the topic "What Is Going On Below?" Madame G. Vautrin, on "Hotel Reservations"; Mrs. A. W. Sewell, on "Travel Tips"; Mrs. J. S. Peterson, on "Story of the Cycle"; and Mrs. M. D. Darling, on "The Eye That Sees."

Impromptu speeches were given by Mrs. Mair on "Spring Hats," and Mrs. J. Pipes on "Weddings." A lesson on parliamentary procedure was given by Mrs. P. Raymont.

Critics from Victoria Toastmistress Club were Mrs. C. C. Warran and Mrs. L. Gordon; Arbutus critics, Mrs. J. R. Brandon and Miss Alice Atkins. Mrs. H. Robinson gave the vote of thanks. Lexicologist was Mrs. H. P. Michelson; evaluator, Mrs. A. T. A. Thompson.

Mrs. J. S. Peterson won the Spur and Mrs. M. D. Darling the Oscar. The speech art section of the Musical Festival in March will receive a book prize from the Arbutus Toastmistress Club. It was announced.



Florence Taylor is wearing a Louis Schrier original coat, distinguished because it is all that is new and smart. In navy and white tweed with the white predominating for spring, it has a soft feminine picture collar, an almost straight cut and bracelet-length sleeves. Florence's white French velour pillbox is by Willoughby of Paris, her white gloves are also French and have a soft gathering at the wrist. The navy and white polka dot scarf is a pure silk Jacquard. The automobile in the background is Ford's new sports-car, The Thunderbird. Bright turquoise body, gleaming chrome, white wall tires and white leather interior, makes it perfect for spring fashion news.

AS WE LIVE

Feels Sons' Schooling Skimps on Learning

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

Education has changed so rapidly in the past few years that it is often difficult for members of the older generations to understand their children's or grandchildren's point of view.

(Q)—"When I went to school I went to learn, not to play. My older son is in high school, and it seems to me that all he thinks about are sports and dances. He gets good enough grades to be able to get into college, so his principal says, but I think he should be spending more time on his studies and less on play. If he has so much extra time, he might improve his mind with reading or something useful."

"Now my younger son is in junior high and he is beginning to feel about school just as his brother does. He is all wrapped up in sports and plays and doesn't seem to bother much about his studies. When I ask him anything about school I never hear about his lessons, just about a game the team won or a play he is acting in. Am I being old-fashioned in thinking that children go to school first of all to learn?"

(A)—Children of today do learn at school, but not exclusively out of books as they did in the past. They approach much of their learning with a "play" attitude which makes them enjoy it more. They certainly get more benefits from it.

From sports, dances, and dramatics, children learn much that they could not learn from books or classroom teaching. They are learning to get along with people, to develop new interests, and to tackle the types of problems they will have to face in daily living.

A child with his nose in the books may get higher grades than your sons get, but will he be able to get along as well with other people and will his interests be as broad? I doubt it. Today's schools are trying to develop the "whole child," not just his intellectual side. You should be thankful that your sons are taking advantage of their opportunities.

Story Telling Important in Pre-School Work

Miss Edith Mulholm of the Garden Library Play Group discussed "story-telling" with Vancouver Island Play Group Association at their meeting last Wednesday evening in the Garden Library. She emphasized the fact that it is better to "tell" a story than to "read" a story to pre-school children for they gain much from facial expression, actions and change in voice of the teacher—something they could not do from a book.

The speaker also pointed out that it is profitable to have "story telling" before a work period because the inspiration gained will often be reproduced in the following creative art session.

It is also beneficial to let the children tell stories themselves of their daily experiences. In this way the teacher gains a better understanding of the child.

A discussion on creative arts with demonstrations of clay modelling, brush and finger painting was given by Mrs. Bert Phillips, Elk Lake Play Group. A display of painting done by four and five-year-olds was also shown.

Mrs. Roland Webster, James Bay Group, led a discussion and demonstration of singing, rhythm band and musical games. Dr. Elizabeth Mahaffy spoke on Salk poliomyelitis vaccine and Mrs. Grace Shaw described necessary qualifications for play group supervisors and told of credits that can be obtained through courses on kindergarten work at Victoria College.

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Lady Laurier Club Urged To Study and to Learn

The place of women in politics and especially the place of women in the work of the Liberal party was discussed briefly by Arthur Laing, M.L.A. at annual luncheon meeting of the Lady Laurier Club in Old Charming Inn Friday.

"Everything we have done in the past and all our aims for the future are based on the two words, security and peace," the speaker pointed out. He urged his audience to continue their work with this thought in mind.

Other special guests who spoke briefly were George Gregory, M.L.A.; P. A. Gibbs, M.L.A., and Bruce Brown, M.L.A.

Club president, Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, presided at the head table. Mrs. S. W. Kendall and Mrs. Stuart Henderson, president and vice-president of Victoria Liberal Women's Forum, were also guests.

At the meeting which followed Mrs. H. H. Hollins, presented the club with a lecture and Mrs. Reginald Millburn was welcomed as a new member.

In her annual report Mrs. Beckwith proposed two ways in which women could assist Liberalism to grow in strength and wisdom. First, to study the work of government

through attendance at Legislative sessions and second, through introduction of forum discussions and study groups at monthly meetings.

Treasurer's report, given by Mrs. E. Clayards showed receipts as \$589.78 and disbursements \$490.56. Chief projects during the year, listed by secretary, Mrs. R. T. Murphy, were a picnic, a tea and a coffee party.

Other reports were given as follows: Program, read by Mrs. R. W. McClung; publicity, Mrs. J. D. Maltman; liaison between the club and Liberal Associations, Mrs. G. W. Pottinger; telephone, Mrs. A. B. McNeill.

Election was conducted by Mrs. McClung. Nominations chairman was Mrs. Walter Walker.

Mrs. Harold C. Johnston was named president; Mrs. Murphy, first vice-president; Mrs. R. S. Stuart-Yates, second; Mrs. T. Laumsden, secretary, and Mrs. G. H. Gardiner, treasurer. Two-year directors are Mrs. Pottinger, Mrs. Clayards, Mrs. Beckwith and Mrs. H. Menzies. Mrs. Beckwith is immediate past president; the honorary president, Mrs. P. A. Gibbs, and Mrs. George Gregory, Mrs. Frank Fairley and Mrs. Arthur Laing, honorary vice-presidents.

Men should give thought to the selection of their grooming aids just as women do. Too often they buy the first thing a clerk shows them or whatever meets their eye in the window. They need this in order to look well groomed.

However, if it were a choice between a wind blown or a gummy appearance, many women would choose the former. With the idea of helping men with some of their grooming aids I talked with several experts. It seems that there are two things a man should remember when selecting hair lotion.

First, he should be sure that it does not have a high alcohol content because this is not good for the hair. Next, the one he buys should contain a light oil, not a heavy one. The latter gives a man a plastered look when he does not deserve it, while a lighter one will keep the hair in place.

Many men rush into stores and buy deodorants, or use those which belong to their wives, when what they really need is an antiperspirant.

Remember too that the science of hair care is the same for men as it is for women. Men should massage their scalps and have frequent shampoos just as women do.

It is amazing that many men who are otherwise meticulous in their grooming will go for weeks, and some of them even for months, without shampooing their hair.

After all, hair collects dust and dirt and for reasons of cleanliness as well as hair health a man should wash his hair fairly often.

It is a well known fact that poor health and strain and worry affect the hair. Hair often becomes drab and falls out after a serious illness or following times of stress. Man is no different from woman in this instance. In his case, also, relaxation and good nutrition play a part in the condition of his topknot.

If you would like to have my short routine of exercise planned, especially for men send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 20 "Short Routine for Men." Address Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

Langford—Thinking Day was observed by First Langford Guide Company, last Thursday evening when an open meeting was held in St. Matthias Hall for parents and friends. Mrs. W. S. Emmerton, divisional commissioner and Mrs. Lloyd Mills, district commissioner attended. The guide world flag, made by Langford captain, Miss M. E. Tawney and the lieutenant, Mrs. B. G. P. Coleclough, was presented to the company by Mrs. Emmerton. Color party was patrol leader Cecil MacIntosh, who received the flag, Barbara Cushing and Ann Stubb. Beth Buxton received a prize for Swallow Patrol, judged best in campsite competition. Demonstrations of guide work, a Thinking Day pageant, the guide law ceremony and refreshments, concluded the program. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bert Humphries.

Lakes District—Members of Lakes District Local Association with members from Langford, Colwood and Belmont Park, will meet on Wednesday in Colwood's Children's Hall at 8 p.m., to discuss the new Guide camp policy. Guiders will present annual reports. Refreshments will be served.

Langford—Members of Langford Company with First Langford Brownie Pack, Colwood Guides and Brownies and Happy Valley Guides and Brownies, joined in a special "Thinking Day" service in St. John's Church, Colwood, last Sunday afternoon. Rev. H. J. Jones officiated. Color party was formed by Colwood and Happy Valley companies; Scriptures read by Dianne Phillips, Happy Valley and Cecil MacIntosh, Langford. Mrs. W. S. Emmerton spoke briefly to the group prior to the service and presented the Brown Owl warrant to Mrs. M. Thomas, First Langford Brownie Pack.

The home nursing service of the Victorian Order of Nurses may be used in the care of maternity patients, for the aged, the injured and chronic cases.

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April Wedding Bells

Mr. and Mrs. Stan V. Wright, 2574 Cavendish Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Kathleen Jo-Ann, to Mr. George Francis Gurney, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gurney, RR 2, Courtenay, B.C. The marriage will take place in First United Church on Saturday, April 9, at 8.30 p.m., with Rev. Molr A. J. Waters officiating. The bride-elect has chosen as her attendants, Miss Nancy Anders, maid of honor; Miss Sheila Russell, Cornox, and the bride-elect's cousin, Miss Elaine Hirst, as bridesmaids, and her young sister, Miss Vicki Lynn Wright, as junior bridesmaid. Best man will be the groom's brother, Mr. Bill Gurney, Courtenay, and ushers Mr. Ted Gurney and the bride-elect's brother, Mr. Fred Wright. (Photo by Chevrons Studio.)



Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nels A. Smith, 540 Atkins Road, Langford, B.C., announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Corrine Marcia, to Mr. Walter Campbell (Bud) McKay, son of Mrs. Caroline McKay and the late Mr. Walter J. McKay, Gleichen, Alta. The marriage will take place on Saturday, March 26, at 7.30 p.m. in the Metropolitan United Church, Victoria, B.C. (Photo by Jus-Rite Studio.)

Eunice M. Scott Married In Quiet Church Ceremony

In a quiet ceremony last evening in Centennial United Church, Eunice Margaret Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chappell, 2938 Cedar Hill Road, became the bride of Thomas Allan McLeod, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McLeod, 2339 Blanshard Street. Rev. Douglas Carr officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by E. Chappell, chose a twilight blue suit with navy accessories and wore a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Veima Loveston, matron of honor, wore a grey softly tailored suit with shaded blue accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Best man was Lonnie Donnelly.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the couple were assisted in receiving guests by Mrs. Chappell and Mrs. McLeod, both in navy blue ensembles with white accessories and pink carnation corsages.

A three-tier white wedding cake with small vase of yellow crocuses and snowdrops on top centred the bride's table. Daffodils and narcissi decorated the room.

David Bolton proposed the toast to the bride.

For a honeymoon trip to San Francisco, the bride chose a navy blue suit with matching accessories and a red rose corsage.

Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. McLeod will live at 2820 The Rise.

Hospital Sewing Completed in Meetings

Sixty-six articles were completed in sewing meetings during the past month. It was reported at meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Gifts were presented to the retiring president, Mrs. C. C. Annett; the treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Boughton, and the secretary, Mrs. P. Taylor, by Mrs. W. G. Thorpe.

Conveners named were Mrs. H. Pinhorn, sewing; Mrs. A. Dean and Mrs. A. Masters, teas; Mrs. J. Newton, dues; Mrs. E. Greenhill, phone; Mrs. B. E. Porritt, stamps; Mrs. F. Brown, flowers; Mrs. P. E. Corby, public clinic; Mrs. R. McKay, publicity; and Mrs. J. Hough, buying.

Plans made for the year's activities included a tag day, anniversary coffee party and linen shower.



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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

To Attend Mainland Dinners

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Wallace will go to Vancouver in mid-week where they will attend a dinner to be given by Hon. Eric Hamber and Mrs. Hamber next Thursday evening in honor of the new United States Consul-General and Mrs. LaVerne Baldwin. On Friday evening, His Honor and Mrs. Wallace will attend a dinner in the mainland city to be given by Maj.-Gen. Eric McQuig and Mrs. McQuig.

News of Former Victorians

Mrs. J. E. Godman has returned to the city from California and Seattle. During her stay in the southern state she enjoyed a visit with Mrs. R. Vohs and Miss Janet Bell, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wendworth Bell.

Mrs. Vohs (Frances) lives in Berkeley, in a home overlooking San Francisco harbor and the Golden Gate Bridge. She has two daughters, Wendy and Vickie, and she has a busy life as housewife and leader in many local activities.

Miss Janet Bell is now teaching at Applegate in the Progressive School for mentally retarded children.

In Seattle Mrs. Godman saw Mrs. A. J. Ogilvie, who was married last summer from the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Cotton, in this city.

Mrs. Ogilvie has a charming flat in Seattle near Lake Washington. Her husband is on the university staff.

Another former Victorian Mrs. Godman saw in Seattle was Miss A. L. Adamson, whose work consists of creating posters for advertising campaigns. Miss Adamson was formerly a pupil of Mrs. Ina Unthoff, in this city.

A Golden Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson, 1042 Vista Heights, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, March 1, and will be at home to relatives and friends in the evening from 7 until 10 p.m. They were married in Nanaimo on March 1, 1905, and lived there and in Victoria in the 45-years Mr. Wilson was an engineer with the E. & N. Railway. Since his retirement, six years ago, they have made their home in Victoria. They have a son, Clarence, in Dallas, Tex., and a daughter, Mrs. Bill Dargfield (Alma) in Victoria.

Shower Tea at Empress

Mrs. S. McAllister will entertain this afternoon at a shower tea at the Empress Hotel honoring her daughter, Miss Valerie McAllister. Invited are Mrs. J. McAllister, Mrs. C. Rippington, Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. W. Broadhurst, Mrs. J. Austin, Mrs. Alice Dickson, Mrs. W. Golby, Mrs. C. Bartley, Mrs. W. Peterson, Mrs. S. Wight, Mrs. Peter Wight, Mrs. W. Partin, Mrs. M. Fallis, Mrs. J. McAllister, Mrs. A. Christaens and Miss Barbara Law.

Miss McAllister was also feted recently at a linen shower held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Collis, 2334 Bowker Avenue. She was presented with a corsage of pink carnations, while her mother, Mrs. J. McAllister, received one of narcissi and Mrs. W. B. Trimble, mother of the groom, received one of narcissi and small daffodils. Spring flowers decorated the rooms and the table, from which buffet refreshments were served. Other guests were Mrs. R. Ritchie, Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. S. Wight, Mrs. W. Broadhurst, Mrs. R. Colbert, Mrs. S. McAllister, Mrs. D. Henderson, Mrs. Neil Baker, Mrs. W. Petersen, Misses Linda Thompson, Pat Whan, Juanita Campbell and Nora Trimble.

Pink Cone Holds Gifts

Miss Valerie McAllister was recipient of many gifts at a shower given in her honor by Mrs. B. Newton, 551 Burnside Road. A large pink cone decorated with ribbons held the gifts. A blue iris corsage was presented to the guest of honor, while her mother, Mrs. J. McAllister, received a yellow narcissi corsage, and Mrs. W. B. Trimble, mother of the groom-elect, received one of white narcissi. Buffet refreshments were served to the assembled guests, who included Mrs. S. McAllister, Mrs. R. Flood, Mrs. W. Broadhurst, Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. L. Ward, Mrs. N. Baker, Mrs. W. Trimble, Misses Kathy Mannix, Margaret Stevenson and Anne Trimble.

European-African Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre will leave today for Seattle en route to New York from where they will sail on the Andrea Doria for Cannes, France. Later they will embark at Marseilles for Mombassa, East Africa, where they will board the British India ship Kampula for Port Victoria, Mahe, Seychelles Islands. While on the Seychelles, they will spend some time on the family plantation before returning to visit in Paris and Bordeaux, Spain and Great Britain. They plan to return to America in the autumn, sailing on the Cristoforo Colombo from Cannes to New York. During their absence, Mr. Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre Jr. will occupy their home.

Bride-To-Be Honored

An arrangement of streamers suspended from above the chair of bride-elect Beverly Noel led to a gift table, where miscellaneous gifts were placed. A shower of confetti-filled balloons was released on and near this chair. Friends and members of Victoria Purple Star, No. 104, L.O.B.A., 211 Stormont Road, Daffodils and tulips graced the lace-covered buffet refreshment table. Among the invited guests were Mrs. Bert Noel, mother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. B. Barnes, Mrs. T. Smith, Mrs. D. Pike, Mrs. K. Brennan, Mrs. B. Blevins, Mrs. D. Dawson, Mrs. E. A. McFerran, Mrs. S. Patterson, Mrs. L. Craig, Mrs. L. Green, Mrs. R. Stanfield, Mrs. R. Macdonald, Mrs. C. Dibblee, Mrs. B. Smythe, Mrs. E. Ard, Mrs. E. Hume, Mrs. M. Kent, Misses Irene Noel, Velda Dibblee and Joan Lucas.

Fifty Years Married

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Jacobs, 1925 Stanley Avenue, are celebrating a 50th wedding anniversary next Tuesday, March 1, when they will be at home to friends from 2 to 4 and again from 7 to 8.30 p.m. They were married in Barrie, Ont., and came west to Antler, Sask., in 1902, where Mr. Jacobs had taken a homestead. They farmed there for 43 years, coming to Victoria 10 years ago. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs' nine children will be here for the celebration, including their son, Donald, and his wife and twin daughters from Elmvale, Ont.; Clifford and Gordon and their wives from Trossachs, Sask.; Miss Florence Jacobs, who is flying from Washington, D.C.; Miss Grace Jacobs from Oakland, Calif.; Mrs. Peter Zondervan (Ella) from Moosemin, Sask.; Mrs. S. Angelomatis (Vera) from Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. F. Alder (Alice) and Austin Jacobs, in Victoria. There are 19 grandchildren, six of whom will be present next Tuesday.

Vancouver Guest

Mrs. Margaret Thompson of Vancouver is a guest in Victoria for the week-end. She arrived to attend the wedding of Eunice Scott to Thomas A. McLeod, which took place last evening in Centennial United Church.

A House Warming

Prior to their departure for England on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. Whittaker held a house warming party in their new home at 2631 Fernwood Avenue. Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. Boden, Mr. and Mrs. K. Deal, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dewar, Mr. and Mrs. G. Laubenstein, Mr. and Mrs. A. McInnes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. F. Artlett, Misses S. Reardon, C. Reardon and Mr. W. D. D. Paul.

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The family of Mr. W. C. Chapman, new manager of the Empress Hotel, joined him here earlier this week. Janet, at right, a graduate of Elmwood School in Ottawa, is already enrolled at business school here, while young David is a student of two days at University School for Boys. Mrs. Chapman is busy, at present, unpacking and getting settled in her new hotel home and also renewing friendships with a number of Victorians. Another son, Peter, attending university in the east, will join his parents in Victoria in June.

Ricki Syrett Becomes Bride Today In Lovely Ceremony at St. Martin's

Baskets of golden-yellow daffodils and plum blossom decorated the church of St. Martin's in the Fields this afternoon, when Edna Isobel (Ricki) Syrett became the bride of William John Nelson, son of Louis Nelson, 1305 Manor Road, and the late Mrs. Nelson.

The bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred James Syrett, 2539 Scott Street. Canon S. J. Wickens performed the ceremony and during signing of the register, John Dunbar sang "O Perfect Love."

Entering the church on the arm of her elder brother, the bride was a striking picture in her three-quarter length gown of heavy champagne lace, fashioned with bouffant skirt over a crinoline, the bodice having a deep V décolletage, at the midriff.

Her chapel veil of champagne tulle was held by a Dutch style lace cap encrusted with seed pearls and opalescent sequins. Champagne pumps and a ruby and pearl pendant worn by her mother on her wedding day, completed the bridal ensemble. Columbia roses, pale pink spilt carnations and pink hyacinths formed her colonial bouquet.

Mrs. Donald Carter was matron of honor. Her gown was princess style in printed floral colors of blue, green and fuchsia on a grey background, styled with bateau neckline, three-quarter sleeves and full skirt. She wore an opalescent straw cap, gull grey accessories and carried a colonial bouquet of Johanna Hill roses, yellow spilt carnations and heather.

Donald S. Carter was best man and ushering guests to daffodil-decorated pews, were Gerald Carter, Edward D. Liersch and Derryck Jackson.

At the Oak Bay Beach Hotel, where the reception was held, Mrs. Syrett, wearing a navy blue silk model dress, feather-trimmed white straw hat and

Indian Festival Is Theme For Mother-Daughter Night

"Explorer" girls of Fairfield United Church, having completed a mission study on India held a mother and daughter night recently, which took the form of a "Prem Mela" or Indian friendship festival.

Displays of their work, the result of weekly meetings during winter months, included a model of an Indian village, two murals and several scrap books. Spring flowers decorated the Sunday schoolroom and the tea table was centred with a cake inscribed with the words, "Prem Mela."

Entertainment was provided by girls and leaders. In a ceremony led by chief councillor Sally McGill, first stars were presented, Muriel McLean gave out red stars, Lillian Houston, blue, and Anne Firth, gold. In a brief affiliation ceremony, Miss McGill presented a gift of money to Mrs. Frances Brown, presbyterial secretary of explorer groups of the Woman's Missionary Society.

A worship service was led by Barbara Doherty, assisted by Explorers Betty Gahn, Jennifer Sands and Judy Platt. Continuing the theme, an Indian story, poem and prayer were given.

Explorers Judy Hunter, Wendy James and Janet Auckland presented a scene from the book, "Chand of India" and refreshments which included Indian tea, figs, dates, nuts and fruit juice, were served.

During the evening Mrs. Ernest MacGinnis, president of Fairfield Woman's Missionary Society, and Rev. Thomas Haythorne, congratulated the leaders and girls for their fine work.

Make Home in Victoria After Kamloops Wedding

Now making their home in Victoria, at 16 Beach Drive, are Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Bud) Mullen, whose marriage took place recently at St. Paul's Cathedral Church, Kamloops.

The Victoria man, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mullen of this city, took as his bride, Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Klemens of Kamloops. Solemnized by Canon J. C. Jolley, the bride, who is a graduate of Royal Jubilee Hospital, wore a gown of nylon tulle over taffeta in waltz length, with fitted bodice and matching bolero, featuring Chantilly lace inserts. Her fingertip illusion veil was held in place with a bandeau of seed pearls and sequins.

Her only jewelry was a pair of rock crystal earrings, gift of the groom, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses and stephanotis.

Miss Evelyn Klemens was her sister's maid of honor, wearing a green nylon tulle gown with matching taffeta jacket and headdress spray of blue feathers. Her flowers were daffodils and blue iris. John Bamford of Victoria was best man and J. S. Wood of Vancouver was usher.

Following a reception in the Plaza Hotel Blue Room, the bride donned a tailored grey suit and green accessories for departure on a motoring honeymoon through the interior and on Vancouver Island.

Attending from Victoria, were Mr. and Mrs. Klemens, Mrs. J. J. Gower, Miss Irene Bell and Miss Lorraine Irvine.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild, Tuesday, 2 p.m., home of Mrs. Jim Harper, 1549 Pearl Street. . . . Victoria, No. 2, Woman's Auxiliary, Akron Hall, 1400 Broad Street, Tuesday at 8 p.m. . . . Gonzales Chapter, IOOE, Tuesday, home of Mrs. F. N. Ferris, 1284 Beach Drive, 10.30 a.m.

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54th Anniversary Party

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. MacKenzie were entertained Thursday evening at a small party in honor of their 54th wedding anniversary. Their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Arthur, 3017 Shelbourne Street, were hosts. Many gifts and messages of congratulations were received from sons and daughters in Regina, Vancouver and Nanaimo.

Spring Wedding Vows

The engagement is announced of Sylvia, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth C. deCunha, 4254 Shelbourne Street, and Thomas Clark Gould, son of Mrs. Charlotte Daykin, Squamish, B.C. The wedding will take place in Old England Inn on April 2, with Rev. Edgar Foreman officiating. The bride-elect has chosen Miss Elizabeth Paterson as her only attendant. James K. Nesbitt will be best man.

A Southern Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Nigel Tomlin are leaving Victoria on Sunday for a three-week vacation at Palm Springs.

CLUB CALENDAR

Ex-Wren Association, Naval Veterans' Branch of Canadian Legion, Broad Street, Tuesday, 8 p.m.

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6:45	News, Milestones	Pred's Roundup	Country	John Boy	Symphony	Saturday Revue	Sports Parade	Old-time	Ballroom
6:50	Melody Milestones	Pred's Roundup	Hockey	Barclay's Best	Saturday Revue	Sports Parade	Tommy Dorsey	Press Gallery	
7:00	News, Chums	It Belongs to Me	Hockey	Two For Money	Town Hall Party	Saturday Revue	Chicago Theatre	News, Weather	
7:05	Cash Cakes, 3 Buns	Curtain Time	Organ, Music	Jimmy Wakely	Town Hall Party	Saturday Revue	Chicago Theatre	Sentenced	
7:30	Island Barn Dance	Organ, Music	Organ, Music	Jimmy Wakely	Town Hall Party	Saturday Revue	Chicago Theatre	Red Stetson	
7:35	Island Barn Dance	Organ, Music	Organ, Music	Jimmy Wakely	Town Hall Party	Saturday Revue	Chicago Theatre	Red Stetson	
8:00	News, Sports	News, Weather	News, Weather	Gunsmoke	Town Hall Party	Saturday Revue	Chicago Theatre	News	
8:10	Island Barn Dance	Peasant Listening	Hill and Seck	Gunsmoke	Town Hall Party	Baseball	Hawaii Calls	News, Music	
8:15	Island Barn Dance	Peasant Listening	Hill and Seck	Gunsmoke	Town Hall Party	Baseball	Hawaii Calls	News, Music	
8:30	Island Barn Dance	Peasant Listening	Prairie Schooner	Gunsmoke	Town Hall Party	Baseball	Hawaii Calls	News, Music	
8:45	Island Barn Dance	Peasant Listening	Prairie Schooner	Gunsmoke	Town Hall Party	Baseball	Hawaii Calls	News, Music	
9:00	News, Hockey	Hill Parade	Ray Norris	Sit Precinct	Let's Go To Town	Washington	Proudly We Hall	Court of Opinion	
9:15	Hockey	Hill Parade	Ray Norris	Sit Precinct	Let's Go To Town	Washington	Proudly We Hall	Court of Opinion	
9:30	Hockey	Say It With Music	Clint Photographer	Crime Photographer	Let's Go To Town	Washington	Proudly We Hall	Court of Opinion	
9:45	Hockey	Say It With Music	Clint Photographer	Crime Photographer	Let's Go To Town	Washington	Proudly We Hall	Court of Opinion	
10:00	News, Hockey	News, Weather	News	Reporter	Weather; Interlude	Sports Whirl	U.S. Guests	News	
10:05	Hockey	Dance Date	Dance Time	Reporter	Weather; Interlude	Sports Whirl	U.S. Guests	News	
10:10	Hockey	Dance Date	Dance Time	Reporter	Weather; Interlude	Sports Whirl	U.S. Guests	News	
10:15	Hockey	Dance Date	Dance Time	Reporter	Weather; Interlude	Sports Whirl	U.S. Guests	News	
10:30	News, Sports	News, Sports	Belman's Choice	Dance Time	News, Sports	Frank Evans	News, Sports	News	
10:40	News, Sports	News, Sports	Belman's Choice	Dance Time	News, Sports	Frank Evans	News, Sports	News	
11:05	News, Sports	News, Sports	Belman's Choice	Dance Time	News, Sports	Frank Evans	News, Sports	News	
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12:00	News, Sports	News, Sports	Belman's Choice	Dance Time	News, Sports	Frank Evans	News, Sports	News	
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Put your spring money to use in this lovely small holding of approximately 8½ acres. A babbling brook flows through the property and winds through evergreen meadow, past a large, well-kept, four-room house of sturdy construction. Full basement, hot-air heat, good Durwood floors, for all, a head and double deck chicken pit. Dairy and cooler. Ten assorted fruit trees, all bearing. Oil-O-Matic heating, garage. View must be seen to appreciate. Located in the small circle of town, all-weather, black-top highway. Title clear.

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Three-bedroom bungalow, hardwood floors, TV living room with fireplace, family-size kitchen, wired for range. High dry basement with rumpus room, drive-in garage, ONE YEAR OLD. 1,200 sq. ft.

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BRIDGE LESSON

By Oswald Jacoby

Perhaps South should have let his partner play the hand at three no-trump. South could furnish nine fast tricks, provided that his partner could stop the black suits. I would surely take this risk with a reasonably reliable partner, but I would take a chance on five diamonds if my partner was unreliable.

For all I know, this may be another way of saying that you bid five diamonds if you can think of an excuse to do so. Nobody likes to put an eight-card suit down on the table. When the hand was actually played, South bid five diamonds without the slightest hesitation.

West opened the ten of hearts, and South won with the ace. South then drew one round of trumps and wondered what to do about trying for an eleventh trick. He could be sure of ten tricks in the red suits, but he needed one of the black kings to make his game.

If you were playing this hand and couldn't see the East-West cards, how would you go about trying for a black king? Would you try first for the clubs or for the spades?

If you go after the clubs first, and if East has the ace, the opponents will be in position to take two clubs and the ace of spades immediately. If you try for a spade trick first and fail to get it, the opponents cannot defeat you immediately; at worst, you will still be able to lead a club towards dummy's king in the hope of finding the ace in the West hand.

When the hand was actually played, South gave himself an extra chance by cashing dummy's king of hearts and getting to his hand with a second trump. He then led a spade towards dummy and finessed the Jack. East had to win with the ace (as might be supposed from the fact that he had made an opening bid) and the rest was easy.

Even if East had held both the ace and queen of spades, South would have made the contract. East would have been obliged to return a black card. If he led clubs, dummy's king would win a trick.

If East led the ace of spades, South could ruff and get to dummy with a trump in order to discard on the king of spades. If East led a low spade, South would have to guess, but he would probably guess correctly in view of the opening bid.

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K5
10986
K862

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5 4
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A7
A3
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A4

Both sides vul.

East South West North
1♥ 3♦ Pass 3NT.
Pass 5♦ Pass Pass

Opening lead—♥10

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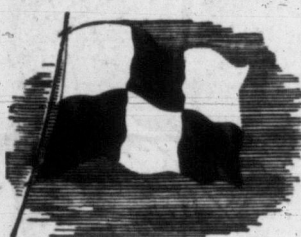
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By PHIL LEE



(OSCAR CLASS) "THE PICKWICK PAPERS" (Dominion)—The British film by Mayer-Kingsley studios is a fine attempt to capture the world of Charles John Huffam Dickens (1812-1870) as portrayed in his famous "The Pickwick Papers," first published in book form at the close of the year 1837.

Through some magnificent characterization by actors the stature of James Hayter, James Donald, Lionel Murton, Alexander Gauge, Hermione Baddeley, Nigel Patrick and a host of others, all the dear characters that became a permanent part of the world of English literature. Mr. Pickwick, Nathaniel Winkle, Snodgrass, Tupman and Alfred Jingle live again for us, as humorous, as fresh as the day they were first created.

When a picture such as this

arrives in town it behooves all of us to see it. For not only does it make absorbing entertainment but it refreshes our memories, it quickens our appreciation and adds to our education of things past that, strangely, still live with us in the present and, no doubt, into the future.

Dickens, who liked to think of himself as being of the middle class, endeared himself to his countrymen and much of the world of his time by portraying in story the everyday life surrounding him and the people in it, in kindly, usually gentle and understanding manner. And the excellence of this film is that the costuming and casting of each character, the detailed rebuilding of each and every scene brings to the youth and its elders of 1955 a first-rate glimpse into the life and times of Charles Dickens.

Actor Hayter as Mr. Pickwick couldn't look more like Pickwick as if he had been drawn by Dickens wondrous illustrator Hablot K. Browne, or Phiz, as he was popularly known. With his jolly round tummy, specs atop of nose, his cherubic face being, sometimes indignant, he seems the epitome of the John Bull caricature as well. Patrick's Jingle may reap most of the plaudits although Gauge's Tupman realizes some moments of superb comedy.

The film begins with Pickwick and friends encountering Jingle in their travels. One sees the memorable duel scene and, at the home of the Wardles, the elopement and chase of Jingle, the meeting with Sam Weller and the misunderstanding with Mrs. Bardell and the ensuing lawsuit of Bardell versus Pickwick. Moments of pathos intervene as one sees the poor debtors in The Fleet.

In conclusion, if you enjoy Dickens you will be thrilled by this interpretation of his "The Pickwick Papers." If you don't know him you will never have a better opportunity to do so and, maybe, become fast friends.

South Africa Plans Conversion To Rix Dollar

CAPETOWN (Reuters)—South Africa's national currency, the pound sterling, may be converted to a new unit—the rix dollar—if the government accepts recommendations published today.

A report by the South African bureau of standards on putting the country's currency on a decimal basis was placed before the House of Assembly today. It estimated the cost of conversion at about \$22,500,000.

The new rix dollar unit would have the equivalent value of 10s, and the bureau recommended a three-year preparation period before effecting the change.

Carpenters' Wage Bid Rejected by Mainland Builders

VANCOUVER (CP)—Wage benefits sought by 3,000 lower mainland carpenters were turned down Friday by district contractors.

At the same time the Vancouver and Northwest Contractors' Association said that "such an increase will mean higher down payments on homes sold, and consequently less work for the carpenters."

The builders sought an increase to boost their average monthly wage from \$410 to \$480 B.C. carpenters are currently the highest paid in Canada. Negotiations between the two factions are continuing.

U.S. Far East Chief Retires April 30

WASHINGTON (UP)—Gen. John E. Hull, U.S. Far East commander, will retire on April 30 after more than 37 years of military service. It was announced today.

Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, chief of U.S. army forces in the Far East and a wartime 8th Army commander in Korea, was the most mentioned prospect to succeed Hull.

Fluoridation Gets Doctors In Argument

Two high-ranking medical men became involved in the controversial subject of fluoridation at Friday afternoon's concluding session of the eighth B.C. Natural Resources conference at the Empress Hotel.

The first, Dr. Lawrence E. Ranta, medical director of Vancouver General Hospital, came out in favor of the plan and predicted that it was bound to come.

The second, Dr. John Nelson, consultant in epidemiology to the provincial government's department of health, did not take a direct stand on the question but developed the theme fluorine was good for the teeth and followed this with the observation:

"British Columbia appears to be a fluorine-deficient area since no areas of the province have been found where natural fluoride occurs in appreciable quantity in water supplies, with the exception of Nakusp on the Arrow Lakes."

Dr. Ranta came to the subject of fluoridation after lamenting that existing medical knowledge concerning the control of disease was not being fully exploited. He used the process of fluoridation as an example.

"Note how we temporize with the decision to fluoridate our water supplies—a decision that we will surely make one day," Fluoridation had cropped up earlier in the three-day conference during a panel discussion of fishery matters.

Dr. R. A. MacLeod, senior scientist at the Pacific Fisheries Experimental Station, Vancouver, raised the matter by arguing a person could get enough fluorine to prevent tooth decay by drinking enough tea and eating enough fish.

Dr. MacLeod claimed: "As little as four ounces of canned salmon, containing the soft edible bones, if eaten every day, would provide the amount of fluoride necessary to prevent tooth decay in a growing child."

Hard water scale inside a tea kettle can be removed by alternate rinses of warm vinegar and warm water.

Evacuation Biggest CD Task Say Chiefs

Stein, Peachey Back From Conference, Also Stress Problem of 'Where to Go'

Evacuation of urban centres in the event of nuclear weapon attack is the foremost problem of civil defense co-ordinators, Greater Victoria CD co-ordinator Roger Peachey and B.C. co-ordinator Maj.-Gen. C. R. Stein said Friday.

Both have just returned from a special conference for co-ordinators held in Arnprior, Ont., where all aspects of civil defense training and administration were discussed.

Mr. Peachey said the conference was generally agreed evacuation is the only foreseeable defense against the greatest threat—the H-bomb—which while posing new problems as compared with the earlier A-bomb, can still be coped with by minor changes in evacuation procedure.

WHERE TO GO?

"Actual evacuation of the city is not the entire problem," Mr. Peachey said. "Where are we going to put all the people who are taken out? This will have to be planned by mutual aid and reception areas, which as far as Victoria is concerned will be points on the Spanish Peninsula, Duncan, Sooke and Metchosin."

Such planning begins by theoretical evacuation, said Maj.-Gen. Stein, but no problem in connection with it has been fully developed to a solution.

He said it would take considerable time to detail evacuation plans for the heavily populated urban centres. Ottawa anticipates evacuation schemes for Calgary and Vancouver within the next few months, but planning by a six-man team of experts working with local authorities will alone take several months, Maj.-Gen. Stein said.

Mr. Peachey went on: "While there would be confusion enough in the actual evacuation, it would be multiplied many more times if the reception, that is feeding, housing

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Premier, PM Declare 'I Did'—'You Didn't'

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The premier released the text of the letter, following a statement in the Commons by the prime minister that it was "not construed as a direct request for a conference."

The letter read in part: "The wisdom of holding a federal-provincial conference on this matter may commend itself to you."

The premier said his letter posed the conference demand "in the polite and courteous way, the way it should be between one prime minister and another."

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ADDICT'S OWN STORY

Must Steal To Get Dope

The drug traffic on the B.C. coast has become notorious. Its main centre is Vancouver, which is a large extent free of the more evil implications of it. But there are drug addicts here and they face similar problems to those on the mainland. This year the B.C. government proposes an experimental program to deal with the addiction problem. Just what can this do for an addict? To show the public something of the problem, a Victoria addict who has been in and out of trouble with the law for years has told his personal story to the Times. Following is the last of a series.

AS TOLD TO TONY DICKASON

Basically, drug addicts are above average in intelligence—like studies have proved of many alcoholics.

They must be to sustain their habit. But the reason they started on drugs in the first place is mostly because of an underlying personality conflict. Many were non-conformists in the eyes of society even before they took their first fix.

While Alcoholics Anonymous has done a good job keeping drinkers away from the bottle, Narcotics Anonymous, patterned on the same line, is not very successful.

The movement started in the Lexington Hospital for addicts, and the first Canadian group is in the New Westminster penitentiary. It's a self-help business in more ways than one. It's likely they help each other get drugs more than they strive to aid the other fellow in keeping clear.

Something that is not widely known is that the Habitual Criminal Act—which can put a party in jail for life—is mostly aimed at addicts.

NO PAROLE
Approximately eight now jailed under the act—there are about a dozen all told—are addicts. An addict never gets a parole even if jailed for shorter periods. It's never even considered. First offenders among thieves, and rapists, come first!

The \$45,000 earmarked by the B.C. government to fight addiction this year on an experimental basis is just laugh-

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Mrs. Napier Moore, wife and assistant of the press liaison officer for the Bahamas and Nassau government, said Miss De Carlo, a native of Vancouver, had asked for accreditation with the press. Her application was refused.

Mrs. Moore said the actress sent a messenger early this morning who said "Miss De Carlo was an official photographer for British Overseas Airways Corporation." But, Mrs. Moore said, she told the messenger the movie star "was not accredited."

Mrs. Moore said that when the movie star "turned up anyway" this morning on the pier, "I asked the policemen to escort her off."

The pier was roped off and guarded by police. Only officials, the honor guard band and accredited newspaper men and photographers were allowed on the pier when the princess landed.

Miss De Carlo has been in Nassau for a movie being filmed on the island.

Ship's sirens and bells mingled in welcome as the royal yacht Britannia steamed into the harbor and dropped anchor. But a big fight has marred the official doings. Next Thursday, the day after she flies to London, the House of Assembly will debate a protest that no elected members of the House have been invited to a state dinner which she attends Monday night.

The governor, the Earl of Ranfurly, confirmed that the

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The casualties at Warren are not known. The mayor radioed the last message heard from the isolated town, appealing for sandbags and calling for all able men to man the levees.

Three air force transports took off with empty sandbags.

BRACE FOR SECOND PEAK
In the stricken Hunter River area, the town of Maitland braced itself to meet a second flood peak after a two-day battle against invading waters.

The ranging Hunter is pouring down the main street of the town of 23,000. Water stretches from one to two miles, isolating the community. A convoy of trucks carrying hundreds of tons of food and clothing had to turn back because all roads were under from eight to 25 feet of water.

The roar of flood water is so great that voices cannot carry more than 20 feet.

Two ocean-going tugs, the only craft powerful enough to fight the torrents of the Hunter, saved about 40 families cut off in one district.

Unconfirmed reports said one of the tugs floundered with at least eight people aboard. No further report of the incident was available because communications in the flooded area have been disrupted.

WIRE BRIEFS

Two Bodies Found

VANCOUVER (CP)—Bodies of a man and woman, believed to be from Minstrel Island, were found aboard a derelict 35-foot fishboat late Friday night off rocky Bowen Island. Police are withholding the names.

More Drug Raids

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Police continued their raids on gathering places of drug addicts today, and made one arrest while checking more than a dozen other suspects. (See also page 3.)

Scots Win Rugby

LONDON (Reuters)—Scotland defeated Ireland 12-3 in a Rugby Union international at Edinburgh today. At Twickenham, France beat England 10-9.

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Their plane was forced down on Tuesday on a 290-mile flight from Churchill, Man., to Ennadai Lake. Two navy men on a search plane spotted the craft Thursday but before a rescue plane could pick up the occupants they disappeared again behind a veil of ice crystals and drifting snow.

Ft. Lieut. C. W. "Bounce" Weir, veteran bush flier, flew to Ennadai Lake Friday. Early today he took off again, and again located the police plane. Within a few minutes he took off again, carrying the four passengers to Ennadai Lake, a trading outpost.

A radio report on arrival there said all four were "OK."

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Eden-Dulles Rift Denied
SINGAPORE (UP)—Sir Anthony Eden today denied he had disagreed with U.S. Secretary of State John Foster Dulles on use of the word "communism" in the South-east Asia Treaty Organization at Bangkok Friday.

JOHNSON CHARGES LOSS ON B.C. POWER BONDS

In a special article appearing on Page 4 today, former Premier Byron Johnson delves into the recent sale of B.C. Power Commission bonds in Wall Street, and points out that the government lost \$224,018 as the result of conversion from U.S. funds.

Added to this is the interest loss on the bonds over a 35-year period, totaling \$320,625.

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Charged Sailor Was Wandering 'Stark Naked'

HALIFAX (CP)—Naval doctors took the stand as prosecution witnesses today as the court martial of a naval rating went into its second day.

AB John L. MacDonald of Beaverton, Ont., faces four charges arising out of a Jan. 21 methyl-alcohol binge aboard the carrier Magnificent.

The court today heard arguments on whether Surgeon Lt. Cmdr. Donald Brooks can be asked to tell what was said in an interview with MacDonald the day before his discharge from hospital.

Surgeon Lieut. Norman Bradford, medical officer of the Magnificent, said he saw MacDonald in the carriers sick bay Jan. 22, the morning following the party.

He said MacDonald was taken to the sick bay after being found "wandering around the mess deck stark naked and not very sensible."

The drinking party sent 47 seamen to hospital.



Jus' think. Other parts o' Canada hev bin havin' it all winter.

While th' Mayor's in Ottawa he might put in a plug fer thet boat service t' Frisco, too.

The Chinese seem t' be insistin' on firin' so there'll be somethin' t' cease.

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FINAL BULLETINS

Strikers Said 'Goat for CCF'

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP)—Striking Electrical Trades Union workers at Burrard Drydock were charged today with attempting to use an affiliated CCL union as a "chopping block for CCF political interests."

Stan Jenkins, president of Marine Workers and Boiler-makers, only other CCL union at the dockyard, charged that the ETU was using the marine workers "as a goat for the CCF in a test of the Labor Relations Act."

C-47 Crashes in Snowstorm

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP)—An Air Force C-47 transport plane crashed in a blinding snow storm near here today, the state patrol reported. The plane reportedly went down about 14 miles south of here.

It was not known how many persons were aboard. At least one man was reported "badly hurt."

The patrol said its sketchy information came from Geiger Air Force Base here.

A C-47 is a two-engine cargo and transport plane and usually has a crew of three.

Russian Hockey Charges Denied

DUESSELDORF, Germany (UP)—Canadian and American hockey officials tonight denied Russian charges they had turned down Soviet invitations to play in Moscow "or anywhere" after the present world ice hockey tournament.

But a Canadian official, in reply to another Soviet broadcast, admitted that the Maple Leaf squad here had held a "secret session."

Both the Americans and Canadians also denied they had sent movie cameramen to spy on the Soviet title-defending team.

All-American Signs for Edmonton

EDMONTON (CP)—Art Walker, All-American tackle from the University of Michigan, has signed with Edmonton Eskimos of the Western Interprovincial Football Union, it was announced today.

Walker, 20-year-old negro, was a draft choice of Green Bay Packers this year. He weighs 205 pounds and stands an inch under six feet.

He brings to the number of imports signed for 1955 by Eskimos.

RACE ENTRIES

FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:
Pucka Star 110
Bayou Rose 110
Topper 112
Miss Tagger 112
Lambie John 112
Black Bart 112
Rowdy Mack 110
Coral Way 110
Jemur 103
SECOND RACE —
Chief 111
Love Bug 113
Mr. Wiggins 118
Whiz-A-Bit 110
Calena 113
Mama 110
Reds Choice 115
By Limited 108
Mama Maude 103
THIRD RACE —
Dewdrop 116
Going Easy 116
Traveling 116
Miss De Ridder 108
Star Dancer 116
Benito 116
Pilotess 116
FOURTH RACE —
Big Low 112
Casey's Hope 114
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Flying Fleet 117
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Bruljaria 116
Full Buck 116
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Frantroy 111
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Hard Rider 110
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Open Late 116
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Retired 111
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Up Stage 111
EIGHTH RACE —
Rose of Grey 105
Wahoo 115
Fixed Charge 115
La Brea 114
Good Question 116
NINTH RACE —
Mystic Chief 119
Bull Hercules 108
The Globe 112
Royal Don 113
New Orleans 110
Miss-O-Blue 112
Panna Girl 108
King Midas 112
ONE-MILE RACE —
Dada N Sons 113
Hot Chocolate 115
Colonial War 113
Prize Cole 110
Mr. Majority 115
Dedal 110
Ruster Jim 115
Sussex 110

Bonn Arms Vote Nears Despite Last-Ditch Fight

BONN (AP)—Opposition Socialists rallied their forces today for a last-ditch—but apparently hopeless—struggle to block the Paris treaties rearming West Germany.

SELECTIONS

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1—Topper B. Pucka Star, Beezac.
2—You'll Learn, Reda Choice, Memaw.
3—Little Cynthia, Speedy Marie, Star Dancer.
4—Marze Robert, Flying Fleet, Oscar J.
5—Ash, Olympic Rose, All-East.
6—Wahash Reveal, Hard Rider, Conn's Tiger.
7—Our Hines, Dobey Doc, Retired.
8—Good Question, Don't Grest, La Brea.
9—Bull Hercules, Mystic Chief, Gee Whiz.
10—Moore, Dada N Sons, Hot Chocolate.

RACE RESULTS

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Happy Jr. (Baldwin) — \$6.20 \$4.50 \$3.00
Bullets (Borgemeyer) — 9.20 5.25
Home Man (Broussard) — 5.25
Time—1:12.4-5
SECOND RACE —
Lady Caroline (Penne) — \$12.40 \$7.00 \$5.20
Russell 25 (O'Neil) — 5.00 2.80
Nags Head (Hannan) — 5.00
Time—1:14.4-5
THIRD RACE —
Big Result (Combs) — \$24.80 \$10.00 \$8.40
Kaluki (Crump) — 7.40 3.60
Time—1:12
FOURTH RACE —
Hobad (Broussard) — \$10.20 \$4.60 \$2.80
Banjout (Buteau) — 5.60 2.40
Sole Price (Hettinger) — 5.60
Time—1:14.6-5
FIFTH RACE —
Screenin Jack (Borgemeyer) — \$12.90 \$5.00 \$4.00
Athena (Broussard) — 3.40 3.00
Bury Blues (Heckmann) — 3.40
Time—1:24.4-5
SIXTH RACE —
Florence House (York) — \$9.20 \$3.40 \$2.40
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Poland 5, West Germany 4

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The win, the second straight for the Canadians, made them heavy favorites to regain the world title after Russia had to go all out to nip Sweden 2-1 in another second-round game.

The Canadians and Czechs engaged in a bitter struggle all the way, and the game, which was considered the big one by many observers, was in doubt until the Canadians broke loose with their vaunted attack in the final period.

The game was replete with penalties, and one serious fight late in the third period marred the game.

Only three teams remained undefeated in the tournament—Canada, Russia and Poland. Canada and Russia are tied for first place, each with four points.

Poland, which had a bye Friday, won its first match to night against Germany, 5-4. The Poles now are tied with the United States, Sweden and Czechoslovakia for third place, each with two points. The Americans moved up a notch to night by overwhelming Finland 8-1 in the other second-round game.

The Czechs were considered the dark horses of the nine-country competition, and the main roadblock to Canada's bid to regain the title it lost to Russia last year.

The game was only 45 seconds old when forward Jack MacDonald put the Canadians ahead with an unassisted goal.

The first period was hard fought all the way and the

Fast-Skating Czechs Knot Count

Fighting bitterly all the way, the fast-skating Czechs knotted the count at 4-0 of the second period when their star, Vlastimil Bubnik, drove in an unassisted goal.

The Canadians by far got the worst of it in the penalty department. Of the eight penalties handed out in the first two periods, the Penticton crew drew seven of them.

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Canada Plays—

Penticton V's play six games next week in the world hockey championship series. V's play every day except Tuesday and Saturday. Teams the Canadians will meet are:

Sunday—Poland.
Monday—Finland.
Wednesday—Switzerland.
Thursday—Sweden.
Friday—Germany.
Sunday—Russia.

Canadians drew all four penalties. Bill Warwick, who almost single-handedly licked the Americans on Friday by scoring six goals, was the first to go off in the fifth minute for elbowing. Defenseman George McAvoy got a boarding sentence at 7:32, forward Don Berry was penalized for high-sticking at 12:45 and defenseman Kevin Conway ended up in the bastille for checking in the 14th minute.

In crushing the United States 12-1 Friday, the Canadians got only one penalty, Conway, for boarding. When they played the same Czech team to a 3-3 tie in Prague last Sunday, the Canadians drew eight of the 11 penalties handed out.

Third Period Provides Thrills Galore

The third period was the decisive one, with Zabrudsky putting the Czechs ahead twice.

He made it 2-1 at 1:35 then Bill Warwick tied it up at 5:38. Zabrudsky got his second goal less than a minute later but again Bill Warwick tied the score, 3-3, at mid-period. From then on Canada took charge with Grant Warwick scoring what proved to be the winning goal at 15:32 on a passing play with brother Bill. Doug Kilburn got the V's insurance goal at 17:05.

Five penalties were imposed in the third frame, three to the Canadians. Of those Bill Warwick got two minors and McIntyre got the other in the final minute of the game.

Conway sent the stadium into an uproar in the 16th minute of the second period when he punched forward Danda Hajzman in the chin and knocked him to the ice. Conway had illegally checked an opposing

only one of them, defenseman Jan Lidral for cross-checking at 6:40.

After Bubnik deadlocked the count for the Czechs, the game again settled down into a rough struggle.

The Canadians couldn't crack the Czech defense while Lidral was off. They were short-handed a good part of the last 10 minutes of the session when MacDonald drew a minor at 11:12 for slashing and Conway was sent off with a minor for bodychecking and a major for fighting at 15:00.

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Team Standings In Hockey Play

Standing of teams in the world hockey championships after today's second round games follows:

Team	W	L	Pts	GF	GA
Canada	2	0	4	12	3
Russia	2	0	4	12	3
Poland	1	2	2	5	5
Czechoslovakia	1	2	2	10	5
Sweden	1	2	2	8	15
United States	1	2	2	8	15
Switzerland	0	1	0	0	7
Germany	0	2	0	2	7
Finland	0	2	0	2	18

Launching Date Set

VANCOUVER (CP)—CPR officials report the Princess of Vancouver, 7,000-ton ferry to operate between here and Nanaimo, will be launched in Glasgow March 7.